

FALL 2025

WINDSOR

There's a lot to do in Windsor!




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We are happy to bring you this fall, 2025 edition of There's a lot to do in Windsor that highlights Windsor activities planned for September through December.

Special thanks to Windsor's own Dr. Leonard Hellerman for the photo featured on our cover. Dr. Hellerman has graciously donated his time and photographic art for the cover of this and every issue of our publication.

If you are a non-profit, civic or religious organization and you would like to have your event listed, here's our production schedule:

- The winter 2026 edition will include January through April information. Deadline: October 15
- The summer 2026 edition will include May through August information. Deadline: February 17

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Compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act
The Town of Windsor strives to accommodate all participants in all of our programs. If you require special services in order for you to participate, please include this on your registration form and try to give us at least two weeks notice prior to the program.



NOVEMBER 4TH IS ELECTION DAY
From 6:00 AM to 8:00 PM, turn out to vote for Town Council, Board of Education and Constables. You will be able to vote for any five (5) candidates for the Board of Education and Town Council and any two (2) candidates for Constable. Optical scan voting technology will be used. For questions please contact 860-285-1902.

Voting Districts & Locations
You can check your polling location on the Town of Windsor website by entering your address at townofwindsorct.com/registrar-of-voters/

Polling Place	Location
1	L.P. Wilson Community Center 599 Matianuck Avenue
2	John F. Kennedy 530 Park Avenue
3	330 Windsor Ave. Community Center 330 Windsor Avenue
4	Town Hall 275 Broad Street
5	Oliver Ellsworth School 730 Kennedy Road
6	Poquonock School 1760 Poquonock Avenue
7	Rainbow Firehouse 750 Rainbow Road

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GET A BEHIND-THE-SCENES LOOK AT THE TOWN OF WINDSOR'S DAY-TO-DAY OPERATIONS!



TOWN OF WINDSOR CITIZENS ACADEMY

- 9/16 TOWN HALL**
275 Broad Street
- 9/23 DPW COMPLEX**
99 Dayhill Road
- 9/30 FIRE & EMS COMPLEX**
340 Bloomfield Avenue
- 10/7 LIBRARY**
323 Broad Street
- 10/14 SAFETY COMPLEX**
110 Addison Road
- 10/18 TOWN TOUR**
275 Broad Street (optional)
- 10/21 L.P. WILSON**
599 Matianuck Avenue
- 10/28 WINDSOR HIGH SCHOOL**
50 Sage Park Road
- 11/18 CARING CONNECTION**
330 Windsor Avenue

Learn more about the services the Town of Windsor provides, how they are funded, and how you can get involved. This interactive program explores how government operations improve our community.

- **Discover** Windsor's historical documents dating back to 1640.
- **Experience** the operations of our 911 dispatch center.
- **Explore** the inside of an ambulance and fire trucks at the new EMS facility

REGISTER NOW!

This is a free program for the first 30 people who register by calling 860-285-1835, online at windsorct.gov/citizensacademy (scan the QR code), or by email at jubrey@townofwindsorct.com.



COMMUNITY EVENTS



WINDSOR FIFE & DRUM 40TH ANNIVERSARY MUSTER

September 6: Windsor Fife & Drum will celebrate their 40th anniversary with a parade and muster on the town green. Several fife & drum corps will march down Broad Street at 11:00 AM, ending at the town hall. There, each group will take turns performing songs from American history. This event is free and open to the public. For more information, call 860-989-0292 or email winmrd@aol.com.



WINDSOR ECO MONARCH FESTIVAL

September 13: The Windsor Eco Monarch Festival, by First Town Downtown will be held on Saturday, September 13 from 11:00 AM to 3:00 PM on the Windsor Town Green. This

is an environmentally-friendly fair with artisan vendors, educational booths and fun activities for the whole family to learn more about our environment and the amazing, protected Monarch butterfly. Rain date 9/14. Free. Visit firsttowndowntown.org or email info@ftdt.org for more information.



ANNUAL WINDSOR FREEDOM TRAIL RUN

September 20: Learn about and celebrate the rich history of the Windsor Freedom Trail by visiting sites along this 3.9 mile run that are associated with the Underground Railroad and African American heritage. (A bus will follow the runners). From 5:30 AM to 8:30 AM starting at Archer Memorial A.M.E. Zion Church. A country style breakfast will be provided. Please bring a non-perishable food item to be donated to the Windsor Food Bank. Register at WindsorFreedomTrail2025.eventbrite.com For questions, email us at windsorfreedomtrailct@gmail.com. Free and open to the public.

NORTHWEST CT CYBER LEO CLUB

September 21: Enjoy an afternoon of pizza and games from 4:30 PM to 6:30 PM at The Bean @226; 226 Broad Street and learn more about the Northwest CT Cyber Leos Club. Discover who we are, what we do, and how we're committed to serving our community. For youth ages 12-18 and their parents or guardians. Meet new friends, have a great time, and find out how you can be part of making a difference.

PLAYGROUP

September 23: Join us in the Poquonock School Family Center for Tuesday morning playgroups for children ages birth to 5 with a parent or a caregiver. Participants will enjoy meeting new friends, learning new songs, stories, crafts and a light snack. 9:30 AM to 10:30 AM. Free. Please call Beth Abbot in the Family Center 860-687-2080 ext. 7131 or email at eabbot@windsorct.org. Specific dates: September 23, 30; October 7, 14, 21, 28; November: 18, 25; December 2, 9, 16.



WINDSOR FIFE & DRUM CORPS OPEN HOUSE

September 25: Calling all young people ages 8 and up! Visit the Windsor Fife & Drum Corps for an opportunity to try out the fife or drum and find out more about becoming a member. No musical or marching experience is needed to join our group. Cost is only \$40/year. We rehearse on Thursdays from 6:00 PM to 8:30 PM at the L.P. Wilson Community Center, 599 Matianuck Ave. Park and enter near the tennis courts.

ANNUAL WINDSOR FREEDOM TRAIL WALKING TOUR

September 27: From 7:00 AM to 10:30 AM starting at Archer Memorial A.M.E. Zion Church, 320 Hayden Station Road. Walk along this 3.9 mile route with your friends and family as you learn about the rich history of the Windsor Freedom Trail by visiting sites that are associated with the Underground Railroad and African American heritage and movement towards freedom (A bus will follow the walkers). A continental breakfast will be provided. Register at WindsorFreedomTrail2025.eventbrite.com. For questions, email us at windsorfreedomtrailct@gmail.com. Free and open to the public.

DESIGNER PURSE BINGO

October 3: Join us for the 3rd annual Designer Purse Bingo fundraiser for the Windsor Education Foundation and get the chance to win designer purses worth hundreds of dollars. Held at the L.P. Wilson Community Center at 555 Matianuck Avenue in Windsor from 6:30 PM to 8:30 PM. Tickets are \$40 each and include 10 games. Each game features a brand new, brand name designer bag as the prize. There will also be a tea cup auction with great prizes donated by local businesses and other WEF supporters. This is a BYOR/B affair so feel free to bring whatever you and your guests like to eat or drink while playing bingo. Tickets can be purchased at windsoreducationfoundation.org or by venmo @WEFCT07. The funds we raise will support our mission of offering grants to Windsor Public Schools for extraordinary educational projects.

FALL ARTS & CRAFTS FAIR

October 11: Join us on the Windsor Town Green for the 53rd annual Windsor Lions Club Fall Arts & Crafts Fair from 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM. For more information please email windsorct.lions@gmail.com.

FIRST TOWN DOWNTOWN HERITAGE BRICK INSTALLATION

October 11: The First Town Downtown Heritage Brick Installation will begin at 10:00 AM at the brick patio on Central Street in Windsor center. Bricks ordered between May 1, 2025 and September 9, 2025 will be installed. Thank you to Marty McMahon of Edward Jones for sponsoring this event. Free. Visit firsttowndowntown.org or email info@ftdt.org for more information.

ANNUAL CHILI CHALLENGE

October 11: The Windsor Jaycees will host the Annual Chili Challenge from 11:00 AM to 4:00 PM on the Windsor Town Green. All are welcome to taste which chili reigns supreme! Please contact info@windsorjaycees.com if you're interested in participating, making your own chili, and/or becoming a sponsor or visit our website windsorjaycees.com. Follow us @windsorjaycees on all social media platforms.

FIRST TOWN DOWNTOWN NIGHTMARE ON BROAD STREET

October 31: First Town Downtown and Windsor Federal invite you to Windsor Center from 5:30 PM to 7:30 PM for some ghoulish treats and family fun at Nightmare on Broad Street! Windsor businesses will be giving out treats to the youngsters, giving hayrides, and more. Broad Street will be closed to traffic. Free. Visit firsttowndowntown.org or email info@ftdt.org for more information.

WINDSOR YOUTH THEATRE PEEWEE DIVISION - DISNEY'S DARE TO DREAM JR.

November 22 & 23: Don't miss Disney's Dare to Dream JR., a 60-minute musical revue performed right here in Windsor! Join an eager group of trainees on their first day

at a fictional Walt Disney Imagineering Studio as they learn the power of dreams to unite, inspire, and make anything possible. Featuring songs from The Princess and the Frog, Coco, Encanto, Frozen II, and more, this energetic performance is perfect for Disney fans of all ages. Showtimes are Saturday, November 22 at 7:00 PM and Sunday, November 23 at 2:00 PM. Ticket prices are \$15 for general adult admission, \$12 for youth and seniors. Visit townofwindsorct.com/recreation for more information.

SOUPER FANTASTIC LUNCH

November 22: Join us from 11:30 AM to 1:30 PM at the L.P. Wilson Community Center, 599 Matianuck Ave. Proceeds will benefit Voices Against Lyme disease. Enjoy a delicious bowl of homemade soup, a grilled cheese sandwich, chips, and a drink. \$9. We accept cash, check or credit card.

8TH ANNUAL HOLIDAY SAMPLER FAIR

November 22: The 8th Annual Holiday Sampler Fair will be held at the Recreation Center, 599 Matianuck Ave, Windsor, from 9:00 AM to 2:00 PM. This is Voices Against Lyme Disease's biggest fundraiser each year, with many of our crafters and artists returning for this special event. Items are all handmade. Find the perfect gift for yourself or a loved one. You may even see Santa! Free parking.



860-930-2446.

FIRST TOWN DOWNTOWN TREE LIGHTING, CAROL SING, TORCHLIGHT PARADE AND BON FIRE

December 6: Please join First Town Downtown in Windsor Center for an evening of holiday festivities at the Tree Lighting, Carol Sing, Torchlight Parade, and Bon Fire (weather permitting). Start at Town Hall Portico at 6:00 PM for singing and tree lighting, then at 6:30 PM the fire trucks and other vehicles will parade their holiday decorations, bonfire to follow. Parade begins on Capen Street and travels through downtown Windsor. 860-247-8982. Rain date is 12/7. Free. Visit firsttowndowntown.org or email info@ftdt.org for more information.

WINDSOR PUBLIC LIBRARY

Due to limited space, registration is needed for programs unless otherwise specified. All library events are free.
Please visit windsorlibrary.com or call at 860-285-1910 for more information.

ADULT CULTURAL EVENTS

COMMUNITY TOY SWAP

All ages | Windsor Public Library

Bring in toys you have used and no longer want and trade in for new ones from others. Full details including how and when to bring your items can be found on our website.

Sep 13 | 11:00am-noon | Sat

BIRDS, BEES, BUTTERFLIES, AND BATS

Ages 13+ | Windsor Public Library

Join us at the Windsor Public Library to welcome Allison Middlemass, a staff member from the Bent of the River Audubon Center, for a seminar on the role of pollinators in plant reproduction, why they need to be protected, the threats they face, and how people can help them. Registration opens September 2. Sponsored by Windsor Library Association.

Oct 1 | 6:00pm-7:00pm | Wed

FAMILY STYLE PIZZA

Ages 6+ | Windsor Public Library

Come join us with Matthew Yanarella of MY Productions CT for a delicious evening of learning how to make pizza from scratch. Bring an apron and an appetite! Registration opens September 2. Sponsored by Windsor Library Association.

Oct 6 | 6:00pm-8:00pm | Mon

AUTUMN MUSHROOM HUNTING IN CONNECTICUT

Ages 16+ | Windsor Public Library

Join us at the Windsor Public Library where will learn about mushrooms from Ryan and Emily Bouchard, New England’s leading mushroom hunting teachers. Using a slideshow of their own incredible all-local photography, Ryan and Emily will explain the basics of wild mushroom science and safety, and focus on the local autumn species that are considered “safe for beginners” to cook with. Registration opens on September 2. Sponsored by Windsor Library Association.

Oct 20 | 6:30-8:00pm | Mon

OUTDOOR GUIDED MUSHROOM WALK

Ages 16+ | Windsor Public Library

Join us for this instructor-led walk into the forest for a close look at local fungi in their natural habitats. See firsthand how the collecting tools are used and hear great tips on mushroom photography. Anyone under 18 must be accompanied by a guardian, or have the guardian sign our waiver on their behalf. It is recommended to attend the information class on Monday, October 20 at 6:30 PM. Registration opens September 2. Sponsored by Windsor Library Association.

Oct 24 | 10:00am-11:30am | Fri



AFTERNOON BOOK CLUB

Join a lively discussion on a new book each month! Discussions are held on the second Thursday of every month from 2:00 PM to 3:00 PM at the Windsor Public Library. Books are available at the Lending Desk, one month prior to each meeting.

September 11: *The Day the World Came to Town* by Jim DeFede

October 9: *Fuzz* by Mary Roach

November 13: *The Women* by Kristin Hannah

December 11: Your Favorite Book from 2025

HOMEGROWN STRING BAND

All ages | Windsor Public Library

Join us in welcoming the Homegrown String Band. This dynamic trio utilizes an eclectic palette of instruments to add their own musical DNA to an American tradition. The Homegrown String Band will take you on a musical journey from ancient ballads of the British Isles to blues to bluegrass of the twentieth century. Sponsored by Windsor Library Association.

Nov 6 | 7:00pm-8:00pm | Thu

COMMUNITY HOUSEHOLD AND KITCHEN ITEMS SWAP

All ages | Windsor Public Library

Bring in household and kitchen items you have used and no longer want and trade in for new ones from others. Full details including how and when to bring your items can be found on our website.

Nov 8 | 11:00am-noon | Sat

POP CULTURE TRIVIA

Ages 18+ | Windsor Public Library

Bring your knowledge of music, TV, and movies for Pop Culture Trivia! Grab some friends, make a team, and enjoy light refreshments for prizes, as well as bragging rights, for the winning team. Sponsored by Windsor Library Association.

Nov 22 | 2:00pm-3:30pm | Sat

ADULT WRITING AND LITERATURE

BOOK BUZZ EVENT

Ages 16+ | Windsor Public Library

Are you a book enthusiast? Do you want to know what the next best book to read is? Join the Windsor Public Library in Meeting Room 1 to discuss all things books.

Sep 29 | 7:00pm-8:30pm | Mon

SILENT BOOK CLUB

Ages 15+ | Windsor Public Library

At Silent Book Club, there’s no assigned reading. All teen and adult readers are welcome and it’s BYOBook (or browse the Windsor Public Library shelves). Settle in for about 45 minutes of silent, sustained reading. At the end of this time, attendees can socialize—or not!

Oct 6, Nov 3, Dec 1 | 7:00pm-8:00pm | Mon

ADULT ENRICHMENT

BRING YOUR GADGETS TO THE GEEKS

Ages 18+ | Windsor Public Library

Bring your device and your questions to the Library Geeks. We’re here every week to offer assistance on any platform. No registration necessary.

Sep 2-Dec 16 | 2:30pm-4:30pm | Tue



TWISTED STITCHES

Ages 13+ | Windsor Public Library

Join our crochet circle! Bring whatever project you’re working on, plus your hooks and yarn, and settle in for some relaxing stitching time. All skill levels welcome. Led by IT Librarian Denise Ricotta, who’s been perfecting her craft since the 80s. No registration necessary.

Sep 3, 17; Oct 8, 22; Nov 5, 19; Dec 3, 17 | 7:00pm-8:30pm | Wed



FIFTH ANNUAL ADULT WINTER READING PROGRAM

When the weather outside is frightful, there’s nothing better than curling up with a hot drink and a good book. Read books. Write reviews. Earn prizes. Stop by either the Main Library or Wilson Branch to sign up and receive a \$3 off coupon to the The Bean @226 on us (while supplies last)! Program runs from December 21 through March 20 at the Windsor Public Library, for ages 14+.

BOARD GAMES AFTERNOON

Ages 13+ | Windsor Public Library

Discover the world of board games beyond the traditional choices and see what all the fun is about! Games and instruction are provided by Anthony Ferello.

Sep 6, Oct 4, Nov 1, Dec 6 | 3:00pm-4:30pm | Sat

NEEDLEWORK CIRCLE

Ages 16+ | Windsor Public Library

Bring your current project and learn from your fellow fiber artists.

Sep 8, Oct 13, Nov 10, Dec 8 | 7:00pm-8:00pm | Mon

SURVIVE THE OREGON TRAIL

Ages 18+ | Windsor Public Library

Who said survival can’t be a competition? Back by popular demand for our adults in the community, we’re hosting a tournament to see who can survive The Oregon Trail. Test your strategy skills to survive and get the high score. Winner leaves with a prize! Everyone else gets dysentery.

Sep 15 | 6:30pm-7:30pm | Mon

ALL ABOUT MONARCH BUTTERFLIES

All ages | Windsor Public Library

Get ready to learn all about monarch butterflies with enthusiast Valerie Allgrove! Valerie will teach you about their habits and patterns, and what they do during the cold New England months. No registration necessary.

Sep 18 | 6:00pm-7:00pm | Thu

GRAFFITI GRAPHIC

Ages 18+ | Windsor Public Library

Let’s create eye-popping graffiti letters with colored pencils! We’ll look at lots of great graffiti samples and then we’ll transform our basic letterforms into dynamic and colorful designs step-by-step. Sponsored by Windsor Library Association.

Sep 22 | 6:30pm-8:00pm | Mon

WINDSOR PUBLIC LIBRARY



BOOK-A-LIBRARIAN

Book-A-Librarian for one-on-one help with technology, Makerspace equipment, e-books, and more. Make an appointment to meet with a staff member for one hour to get answers to your questions. Request an appointment at windsorlibrary.com. Appointments are available at both the Main Library and the Wilson Branch.

AGING IN PLACE: A LEGAL PRESENTATION

Ages 18+ | Windsor Public Library

Join us at the Windsor Public Library for another legal presentation presented by an attorney from CT Senior Law. In this program, we will help you better understand how to avoid putting your hard earned assets at risk in a way that can best position you to stay in your own home and age in place.

Oct 23 | 10:30am-11:30am | Thu

4-PART QUILTING PROGRAM

Ages 18+ | Windsor Public Library

Participants will learn quilting basics and produce a table runner from start to finish. Please plan to attend all 4 sessions. Participants need to bring their own sewing machine and be experienced in using it. Registration opens on September 27. Sponsored by Windsor Library Association.

Oct 27; Nov 3, 10, 24 | 6:30pm-8:30pm | Mon

ALCOHOL INK ART

Ages 18+ | Windsor Public Library

A vibrant work of art is waiting to be created in this fun craft! With a mix of a few simple ingredients, you will take regular ink and be able to blend, mix, and layer your inks using isopropyl alcohol. A masterpiece awaits!

Nov 5 | 2:00pm-3:00pm | Wed

RESIN ART WORKSHOP FOR BEGINNERS

Ages 18+ | Windsor Public Library

Resin art is an uncomplicated, versatile craft that allows you to create a widespread collection of works with just a simple set of tools. Participants will be creating two coasters. All supplies provided in class. Please dress in clothes you won't mind getting resin on. Registration opens October 1.

Nov 8 | 2:00pm-4:00pm | Sat

MEET WITH PAT HOERTH BATCHELDER

All ages | Windsor Public Library

A bit of Windsor history comes to the Library! Author Pat Hoerth Batchelder will do an author talk about her book Evelyn Beatrice Longman, The Woman Who Sculpted Golden Boy, Thomas Edison, and Other Monuments. Excerpts from the book will be read, and different pieces will be talked about and shown, as well as places in Windsor that were prominent to Evelyn's life here. Light refreshments will be served.

Nov 15 | 12:30pm-2:30pm | Sat

FERNWEH LECTURE BY DR. RICHARD BENFIELD

Ages 16+ | Windsor Public Library

The Germans have a name for it: Fernweh. It means a longing for distant places, a yearning for travel. We welcome you to be driven by fernweh with Dr. Richard Benfield as he discusses over 137 destinations he has been to and what he has seen – Paleolithic art, Gorillas in the Mist, secret London, Antarctica, and more. Registration opens September 2. Sponsored by Windsor Library Association.

Nov 17 | 6:30pm-7:30pm | Mon

QUEER ENTERTAINERS IN HISTORY

Ages 18+ | Windsor Public Library

Presenter Clare McCarthy gives us a journey of queer entertainers in history. Multimedia clips will be used to trace the history of queer entertainment, and the impact these entertainers have had. Sponsored by Windsor Library Association.

Dec 2 | 6:00pm-8:00pm | Tue

SNOW GLOBES

Ages 13+ | Windsor Public Library

Winter is coming, and we can celebrate its arrival by creating a small decorative snow globe! Supplies provided. No registration necessary. Sponsored by Windsor Library Association.

Dec 6 | 6:00pm-7:00pm | Sat

PINECONE KISSING BALLS

Ages 13+ | Windsor Public Library

Using greenery and pinecones, we are going to make a lovely kissing ball. Get ready to make your house full of love and festivity for the holidays with this rustic craft!

Dec 13 | 2:00pm-3:00pm | Sat

PASSWORD

Ages 18+ | Windsor Public Library

And the password is... fun! Get ready to play a few rounds of the beloved game Password. You will give clues to your partner, and they must guess your word. The winner will leave with a prize, and bragging rights.

Dec 16 | 6:00pm-7:00pm | Tue

DECORATIVE WINTER CANDLE HOLDER

Ages 18+ | Windsor Public Library

Looking to spruce up a candle around your house? Come on in to create a decorative wintertime candle holder. A perfect craft to compliment your winter décor as the cold weather comes in. Supplies provided. Sponsored by the Windsor Library Association.

Dec 19 | 11:00am-noon | Fri

ART FOR ALL AGES

ANNUAL DIY PROGRAM

All ages | Windsor Public Library

Join us for our annual DIY program for families. We will have different crafts and material for you to use to craft a special item to take home as a gift for yourself or a loved one.

Nov 12 | 6:00pm-7:00pm | Wed

ANNUAL CREATE YOUR OWN GINGERBREAD HOUSE

All ages | Windsor Public Library

Back by popular demand, our annual create your own Gingerbread House event is back with all the yummy fixings. Create your masterpiece and then take it home for the whole family to enjoy.

Dec 3 | 6:00pm-7:15pm | Wed

KIDS ART & CREATIVITY



MY FAVORITE MONSTER STORYTIME

Ages 2-5 | Windsor Public Library

I love monsters! Short ones, tall ones, funny ones! We will have stories, jokes, songs, activities and a craft.

Sep 11 | 10:30am-11:15am | Thu

SPECIAL STORYTIMES

Ages 2-5 | Windsor Public Library

Each month will be a different storytime with Nursery Rhymes, Opposites and Gingerbread Stories. Jokes, songs, activities and a craft are included as always!

Oct 6, Nov 3, Dec 1 | 10:30am-11:15am | Mon



MERMAIDS AND UNICORNS STORYTIME

Ages 2-5 | Windsor Public Library

In the sea and in the sky! Please join us for our special storytime about mermaids and unicorns. Lots of stories, songs, activities and of course a craft.

Oct 9 | 10:30am-11:15am | Thu

MY FAMILY STORYTIME

Ages 2-5 | Windsor Public Library

As we get close to the holidays, it's time to celebrate families. Join us for a special storytime all about families of all different sizes.

Nov 13 | 10:30am-11:15am | Thu

A SPECIAL HOLIDAY STORYTIME

Ages 2-5 | Windsor Public Library

Join us for a holiday storytime. How do you celebrate the holidays? How do children around the world celebrate? Stories, songs, activities and crafts.

Dec 18 | 10:30am-11:15am | Thu

ARE YOU READY FOR WINTER? STORYTIME

Ages 2-5 | Windsor Public Library

Burr. It's cold out there! How do you get ready for winter? How do animals get ready for winter? Join us for a winter storytime with songs, activities, stories, jokes and a winter craft.

Dec 22 | 10:30am-11:15am | Mon

HOLIDAY TIME AT THE LIBRARY

All ages | Windsor Public Library

Join us for holiday stories, movies, and crafts in Kidspace. Everyone is invited. What a great way to spend the day before Christmas!

Dec 24 | 10:30am-4:00pm | Wed

PUMPERNICKEL PUPPETS RETURN

All ages | Windsor Public Library

Join us for the return of the puppets and a story all about dragons! A great way to spend vacation. This program is for families.

Dec 27 | 11:00am-noon | Sat

WINDSOR PUBLIC LIBRARY



KIDS ENRICHMENT

TODDLER TIME

Ages 2-4 | Windsor Public Library

Join Kidspace for an early literacy storytime and share songs, rhymes, and tips for caregivers followed by a craft.

Sep 2, 16; Oct 7, 21; Nov 4, 18; Dec 2, 16 | 10:30am-11:15am | Tue

STEM AND INNOVATION CLUB

Ages 8+ | Windsor Public Library

Our monthly STEM and Innovation Club returns with all new experiments, optical illusions, and innovative problem solving.

Sep 4, Oct 2, Nov 6, Dec 4 | 6:00pm-7:00pm | Thu

BOOK BABIES

Ages 6-24 months | Windsor Public Library

Babies love books! This program uses fingerplays, songs, action rhymes, and books to promote the development of early literacy skills.

Sep 5 & 19; Dec 5 & 12 | 10:30am-11:15am | Fri

MATH GAMES

Ages 8+ | Windsor Public Library

We are back with our crazy Math Games! Join us for fun math riddles, problem solving, interactive games, cards, dice, and special sports math games.

Sep 8, Oct 13, Nov 10, Dec 8 | 6:00pm-7:00pm | Mon

TOTS & TALES

Ages 5 and under | Windsor Public Library

Join us for this afternoon of stories, songs, and rhymes that promote early literacy.

Sep 10 & 24; Oct 15 & 29; Nov 12 & 26; Dec 10 | 2:00pm-2:45pm | Wed

WALK & SNACK SOCIAL

All ages | Windsor Public Library

Bring your strollers, walking shoes, smiles, and family for a group walk around the Town Green or the Windsor Center River Trail! After the walk, head over to Kidspace to enjoy light refreshments provided by the Oliver Ellsworth Family Resource Center.

Sep 10; Oct 8; Nov 12; Dec 10 | 11:00am-noon | Wed

RIVERSIDE REPTILES VISIT

Ages 5+ | Windsor Public Library

Join us for our visitors from Riverside Reptiles! Do you believe in real dragons? See lizards, geckos that can climb glass, skinks with bright blue tongues, a legless lizard, and a snake - with claws!

Sep 13 | 1:30pm-2:30pm | Sat

FAMILY YOGA

Ages 3+ | Windsor Public Library

Join Mrs. Pia from Wabi-Sabi Yoga, for a family yoga class. Please bring your own mat.

Sep 17 & Oct 15 | 10:30am-11:15am | Wed

THE X FILES REVISITED

Ages 8+ | Windsor Public Library

Back by popular demand, join us for more discussions on aliens, ghosts, haunted locations, extreme diseases, parapsychology such as such as extrasensory perception (ESP), telepathy, and psychokinesis.

Sep 17, Oct 15, Nov 19 | 6:00pm-7:00pm | Wed

YOUNG EXPLORERS AROUND THE WORLD AND BEYOND

Ages 3-5 | Windsor Public Library

Our monthly exploration of different countries and locations... including outer space! Grab a new passport and join us on a new adventure!

Sep 18, Oct 16, Nov 20 | 10:30am-11:30am | Thu

MUSEUM PASSES

Our Museum Passes provide you with the opportunity to visit area museums and attractions with free or reduced admission prices. All you need is your library card! Most of our museum passes are print at home but several still require you to come to the library to pick up and return. Please call the Reference Desk at 860-285-1918 with any questions.

SING & STOMP

Ages 5 and under | Windsor Public Library

Come dance and sing with Miss Victoria for this music and movement-based program.

Sep 12; Oct 3, 31; Nov 7; Dec 23 | 10:20am-11:15am | Fri & Tue

JUNIOR MATH GAMES STORYTIME

Ages 3-5 & caregiver | Windsor Public Library

Join us for a fun monthly math game storytime including counting, adding, funny riddles, stories, and activities.

Sep 22, Oct 27, Nov 24 | 10:30am-11:15am | Mon

GOBLINS AND GIGGLES

Ages 5-8 | Windsor Public Library

This show will have you tappin' your feet, huggin' your seat, singin' a tune and even laughing as Rona shares stories from the silly to the serious, from the mysterious to the monstrous!

Oct 21 | 6:00pm-7:00pm | Tue

MONSTER HOUSE MYSTERY BOX NIGHT

Ages 6+ | Windsor Public Library

This program invites brave young detectives to reach inside mysterious boxes to see if they can guess the real household objects inside. It's a hands-on not so scary adventure full of surprises, laughs, and sensory fun.

Oct 23 | 6:00pm-7:00pm | Thu

TEENS

TUESDAY CRAFTERNOONS

Ages 13+ | Windsor Public Library

Join us for a fun craft! Bring your creativity and get ready to make a fun new craft each week.

Aug 26-Oct 14 | 3:00pm-4:00pm | Tue

TEEN CRAFTS

Ages 12-18 | Windsor Public Library

Join us for fun and creative teen craft sessions, where you can make unique DIY projects with friends!

No Sew Dice Bags | Sep 4 | 6:00pm-7:00pm | Thu

Paper Doilies Wreath | Dec 4 | 6:30pm-7:30pm | Thu



TASTY TREATS THURSDAY

Ages 12-18 | Windsor Public Library

Join us to learn how to craft your own culinary creations! These recipes will involve little to no baking and will be sure to tingle the taste buds and boost cooking confidence in the kitchen.

Tortilla Pizza & Walking Apple Pie | Sep 11 | 6:30pm-7:30pm | Thu

Walking Nachos & Dessert Pizza | Nov 13 | 6:30pm-7:30pm | Thu

LID PHOTO MAGNETS

Ages 13+ | Windsor Public Library

A very simple afternoon craft awaits, as we take lids from jars, and make them into fun magnets! Supplies provided, but feel free to bring your own lid.

Sep 20 | Noon-1:00pm | Sat

POP UP ART SCHOOL TEEN PROGRAM

Ages 12-18 | Windsor Public Library

Join us at the library and learn how to needle felt with the Pop Up Art School! Make a one of a kind creation using just a needle and some felt.

Sep 27 | 1:00pm-3:00pm | Sat

KNOT YOUR MOTHER'S MACRAME

Ages 12-18 | Windsor Public Library

Learn the versatile art known as Macrame. Join us for a program hosted by JSO, as she teaches you a variety of knots to create a one of a kind art piece!

Oct 2 | 6:00pm-8:00pm | Thu

BUILD-A-BOUQUET

Ages 13+ | Windsor Public Library

Pamela Grey from Winter Bee Garden in Ledyard will conduct a workshop on how to create the perfect arrangement of spring flowers. Participants learn the five elements in creating a stunning market bouquet, then build their own arrangements.

Oct 4 | 1:00pm-2:00pm | Sat

CROSS STITCHING BOOKMARKS

Ages 12-18 | Windsor Public Library

Readers beware, you're in for a spooky scare! Learn to cross stitch a boo-tastic bookmark for all your monstrous reads. Join Kate as she teaches you how to cross stitch a fun Halloween pattern into a bookmark.

Oct 25 | 6:00pm-8:00pm | Sat

WINDSOR PUBLIC LIBRARY

COLLAGING
Ages 13+ | Windsor Public Library

Whether you want to put together a nice showcase of tropical vacation spots, holiday pictures to get ready for the winter months, or just a hodgepodge of pictures, the choice is yours. Various magazine and photos will be available, but feel free to bring your own. No registration is required.

Oct 27 | 3:00pm-4:00pm | Mon

FREAKY FOODS
Ages 10-18 | Windsor Public Library

Join us for an evening filled with freaky foods and spooky snacks! Create creepy creations for you and your friends to enjoy.

Oct 30 | 6:30pm-8:00pm | Thu

NIGHTMARE BEFORE CHRISTMAS PARTY
Ages 10-18 | Windsor Public Library

Halloween or Christmas? Why not both! Come celebrate the holiday season with this fun Nightmare Before Christmas themed holiday party. Games, treats, and activities will be provided for this festive feast.

Dec 11 | 6:30pm-8:00pm | Thu

NEWSLETTERS
Get all the latest updates from the Windsor Public Library and the Wilson Branch delivered directly to your email. Sign up for our email newsletters! Find your next favorite book. Learn about upcoming Kidspace and Teen Programs. Or get weekly details on all the upcoming events at the Main Library and the Wilson Branch. Sign up today at windsorlibrary.com/newsletters.

WINDSOR DISCOVERY CENTER AND MONTESSORI SCHOOL

Windsor's NAEYC-accredited Montessori School provides a Montessori education for children ages 6 weeks through 6 years of age.

Our Montessori programs offer full and half-day schedules that foster a child's sense of independence and personal development. The curriculum includes hands-on learning experiences, music & movement; Spanish; and mindfulness yoga classes. The curriculum is enhanced with monthly field trips and visitors.

Afterschool Program: The Discovery Center at Windsor Montessori offers afterschool programming for students enrolled in Windsor Public Schools. We offer flexible schedules for students in kindergarten through fourth grade. Transportation is provided by Windsor Public Schools. Full-day care is available during school vacations, professional development days, and snow days.

Our faculty hold Montessori certifications and/or degrees in Early Childhood Education. Located at 114 Palisado Avenue, our hours are 7:30 AM to 5:30 PM. Call us at 860-285-1400 to schedule a tour or visit windsormontessorict.com.



WILSON LIBRARY

Due to limited space, registration is needed for programs unless otherwise specified. All Wilson Branch Library programs and events are free. Please visit the windsorlibrary.com/wilsonbranch or call at 860-247-8960 for more information.

KIDS ACTIVITIES & ENRICHMENT

PAINT & PLAY
Ages 0-5 | Wilson Branch Library

We'll have washable paint, paper, brushes, sponges and aprons set out for little ones to get creative! Join us in a relaxed environment to meet other lil' artists and their caregivers in the community. Sign-up to receive an email reminder or just drop-in!

Sep 9, 23; Oct 14, 28; Nov 25; Dec 9, 23 | 10:30am-11:15am | Tue

HALLOWEEN SPOOKTACULAR SHOW WITH LIZ MCNICOLL
Ages 0-10 | Wilson Branch Library

Liz McNicholl is a singer, songwriter, and well loved performer and children's music educator and has been entertaining audiences of all ages in Connecticut and beyond for many years. Join us for her Halloween Spooktacular concert that's fun for the whole family! Sponsored by Windsor Library Association.

Oct 25 | 10:30am-11:15am | Sat

TEEN & ADULT ENRICHMENT

DUNGEONS & DRAGONS
Ages 10-18 | Wilson Branch Library

Teens and Tweens are invited to play Dungeons and Dragons. Make friends and join an epic adventure as you set off to slay monsters, earn gold, and find powerful artifacts and treasure. The game is a long-running 5th edition campaign, but if you are new, don't worry! Join the party wherever they are in their adventure, or drop in and guest star for a session. All experience levels are welcome!

Sep 6, Oct 4, Nov 1, Dec 6 | 11:30am-2:30pm | Sat

ECO-PRINTING ON FABRIC
Ages 18+ | Wilson Branch Library

Mallorey Carron, owner and visionary behind Planted Pigments, naturally dyed and hand printed fabrics, will join us for an eco-printing workshop. We'll use flowers and plants to create unique designs on fabric. Sponsored by Windsor Library Association. Attended before? We'd love to give someone new a chance – thanks for sitting this one out.

Sep 15 | 5:00pm-7:00pm | Mon



FLOWER ARRANGEMENT WORKSHOP
Ages 14+ | Wilson Branch Library

Join us for a fun flower arrangement workshop with the Windsor Garden Club. Participants will create a beautiful bouquet of both store bought and homegrown (from the library's garden) flowers. Sponsored by the Windsor Library Association. Attended before? We'd love to give someone new a chance – thanks for sitting this one out.

Sep 13 | 10:30am-11:30am | Sat

NOVICE AFTERNOON: NEEDLE FELT LANDSCAPES
Ages 18+ | Wilson Branch Library

Back by popular demand! We're taking another stab at needle felting. We'll use colorful wool and needles to create a unique landscape scene. Sponsored by Windsor Library Association. Attended before? We'd love to give someone new a chance – thanks for sitting this one out.

Sep 29 | 5:30pm-7:00pm | Mon

WILSON LIBRARY



NOVICE AFTERNOON: MUSHROOM GARLAND
Ages 18+ | Wilson Branch Library
We'll use natural elements like dried orange peels, sticks, and twine to make a whimsical mushroom garland. Sponsored by Windsor Library Association.
Oct 17 | 3:30pm-5:00pm | Fri

NOVICE AFTERNOON: GLASS BEAD SUN CATCHER
Ages 18+ | Wilson Branch Library
We'll use glass beads, fishing line, and driftwood to make bright and colorful suncatchers to brighten up the darker days. Participants will need to bring a pair of jewelry or needle nose pliers. Sponsored by Windsor Library Association.
Nov 14 | 3:30pm-5:00pm | Fri

MEDICINE MAKING 101: HARNESSING YOUR INNER KITCHEN WITCH
Ages 14+ | Wilson Branch Library
Herbalist Nora Toomey will teach us how to make an herbal syrup, herbal infused oil, salve, and a tincture, as well as practical applications using the folk method, a traditional way of making herbal remedies. Sponsored by Windsor Library Association.
Nov 15 | 10:30am-11:30am | Sat

FUROSHIKI GIFT WRAPPING WORKSHOP WITH BETH VAN NESS
Ages 18+ | Wilson Branch Library
Come learn the Japanese art of Furoshiki wrapping taught by Beth Van Ness. Furoshiki wrapping is a sustainable and beautiful way to wrap gifts that helps reduce waste and instantly elevates gift-giving. Sponsored by Windsor Library Association.
Dec 5 | 3:30pm-5:00pm | Fri

NOVICE AFTERNOON: YULE LOG
Ages 18+ | Wilson Branch Library
We'll use wood, assorted greenery, berries, wax candles, and other natural adornments to create a yule log center piece to celebrate the winter solstice. Sponsored by Windsor Library Association.
Dec 19 | 3:30pm-5:00pm | Fri

EDUCATION & INFORMATION

TUTORING OPEN HOUSE
All ages | Wilson Branch Library
Interested parents, caregivers, and volunteer tutors are welcome to stop by during this time to learn more about the program, meet the tutoring coordinator, Tricia Jeffery, tour the Wilson Branch, sign up for a library card, and enjoy refreshments. No registration required. The tutoring program begins Monday, October 6. Applications are currently being accepted for both students and tutors on a rolling basis throughout the school year on our website.
Sep 22 | 4:00pm-7:00pm | Mon

WINDSOR SOCIAL SERVICES



The Social Services Department assists residents with health needs, financial services, insurance programs, energy assistance, veteran's benefits, and more. Visit us at the south end of the L.P. Wilson Community Center or on our website at townofwindsorct.com/socialservices or call 860-285-1839.
Follow us: **Town of Windsor Social Services** on

AMERICAN JOB CENTER is at the L.P. Wilson Community Center on the 2nd Wednesday from 3:15 PM to 5:00 PM and the 2nd Friday from 10:00 AM to noon. They provide assistance with cover letters, a resume that will get you interviews and help with effective job searches. Call 860-406-3374 to schedule an appointment.

CRT – COMMUNITY RENEWAL TEAM takes appointments for energy assistance during the heating season. Call 860-560-2694 to schedule an appointment in Windsor.

ENERGY ASSISTANCE
Energy Assistance is available through the Windsor Fuel Bank. 860-683-4199.

GRANDPARENTS RAISING GRANDCHILDREN/KIN SUPPORT PROGRAM is an educational support and respite group for grandparents raising a second family.

GROCERIES TO GO
Supplementary food items and educational materials to clients 60 and older every other Friday from 10:30 AM to 11:30 AM at the L.P. Wilson Community Center.

HARTFORD VET CENTER is hosting office hours at the LP Wilson Community Center bi-weekly. Services will include individual, group, marriage and family counseling in addition to referral and connection to other VA or community benefits and services. Please call 860-563-8800 to schedule an appointment in Windsor.

LEAN ON ME
Meet one of our friendly and knowledgeable caseworkers to learn about programs you may qualify for such as; utility assistance, food, energy, Medicare, or others. All contacts are confidential. Free. Call to make an appointment 9/2, 10/7, 11/4 and 12/2 from 1:00 PM to 3:00 PM at the Windsor Public Library.

PROGRAM INCOME ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

Household Size	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8*
Annual Income	\$46,950	\$63,450	\$79,950	\$96,450	\$112,950	\$129,450	\$145,950	\$162,450

**For each additional person add \$16,500. Income guideline reflect 300% of the federal poverty limit, last updated 4/1/2025.*

MOBILE FOODSHARE
Distribution of fresh fruits and vegetables to individuals and families in need at Hopewell Baptist Church, 280 Windsor Avenue, on alternating Wednesdays from 2:00 PM to 2:30 PM. Fall distributions begin Sept. 3rd. Please bring your own bags.

SNAP (formerly known as Food Stamp Program) for assistance in applying for SNAP benefits, please call Foodshare SNAP Outreach at 860-286-9999, Ext. 104.

WINDSOR C.A.R.E.S. (CITIZENS ASSISTING RESIDENTS Everywhere by Sharing) Get involved in community service projects that benefit others. Meets on the second Tuesday of each month from 1:00 PM to 2:00 PM at the L.P. Wilson Community Center.

WEEKEND WHEELS STUDENT BACKPACK FOOD PROGRAM
This is a supplemental food program that provides qualifying Windsor children in grades pre-k thru high school with a bag filled with food to help thru the weekend.

WINDSOR FOOD BANK
Supplemental food is provided to Windsor residents who are income eligible, including a variety of pantry items, fresh produce, and meat.

WINDSOR HUNGER ACTION TEAM
Windsor civic organizations, churches, and interested residents, tackle issues related to hunger in our community. Meets first Wednesday of each month.

CIVIC/NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATIONS



FIRST TOWN DOWNTOWN Become a Member

Joining First Town Downtown is a fantastic way to contribute to the vitality of Windsor Center and its historic town green. With a variety of membership options for individuals, families, and businesses, everyone has the opportunity to support and promote the heart of Windsor. By becoming a member, you're not just joining a group; you're becoming part of a community dedicated to enhancing the charm and economic well-being of one of Connecticut's treasured locations. Don't miss out on the chance to make a difference. Explore membership options today at FTDT.org.

FTDT GIFT CARDS

One card, lots of places to shop and dine! Refillable Windsor Center Gift Cards are perfect for friends, family, co-workers, and employees — and they support local businesses. Use them at:

Ace Hardware • Dom's Eatery • Beer Garden at Barts • Family Pizzeria • The Bean @ 226 • Geissler's • The Blue Dragonfly • PC Development • First Town Downtown
Coming soon: Win-Some Finds Thrift Shop & J&D Windsor Garage Great for gifts, prizes, or employee incentives! Order, check your balance, and refill at FTDT.org.

FRIENDSHIP QUILTERS OF WINDSOR

The Friendship Quilters of Windsor invites interested sewists to come check out our group at our Open House on Thursday, September 11 at 6:30 PM. The meeting will be at the Senior Center at L.P. Wilson Community Center located at 599 Matianuck Avenue. We will highlight our plans for the coming year as we celebrate the time honored art of quilting.

KIWANIS CLUB OF WINDSOR

The Kiwanis Club of Windsor meets the 1st and 3rd Thursday of the month at 6:30 PM at Jim's Family Restaurant and Pizzeria, 124 Poquonock Avenue, Windsor. Our objective is to aid children in need with the majority of our efforts benefitting children in the community.

VOICES AGAINST LYME DISEASE

Join Voices Against Lyme Disease for free zoom support group meetings every 3rd Saturday from 10:00 AM to 11:15am. We are all caring individuals and are willing to listen to your concerns and struggle with tick borne illnesses. We offer knowledge, experience and support for those facing the challenges of these diseases. Call Bonnie at 860-930-2446.



WIN-TV

Board of Directors meet the 4th Tuesday of the month via Zoom. Meeting dates include; September 23, October 28, November 25, and December 9. 7pm via Zoom. Email win-tv.org or call 860-688-2626 for Zoom info. Free.

WINDSOR ADULT EDUCATION

Windsor Adult Education is dedicated to empowering individuals within our community through accessible and comprehensive adult literacy programs. Our mission is to provide Adult Basic Education (ABE), high school completion (GED® and NEDP®), Citizenship classes, and Digital Literacy at no cost, ensuring that all members have the opportunity to enhance their skills, achieve their educational goals, and actively participate in society. We are committed to fostering a supportive and inclusive learning environment that promotes lifelong learning and enables individuals to reach their fullest potential. windsoradulthood.org 860-687-2000 x1271.

WINDSOR JUNIOR WOMAN'S CLUB

Join the Windsor Junior Woman's Club! We are a non-profit organization of women over the age of 18 that focuses our efforts on enriching, helping and giving back to our community. Make new friends and have fun while getting more involved with the Windsor community. The club meets on the 3rd Tuesday of the month from September to May. Social time begins at 6:30 PM and is followed by the business meeting at 7:00 PM. Guests are always welcome! For more information and location of our meetings, please email wjwcmembership@gmail.com, or visit windsorjuniors.com.



WINDSOR POLICE CADETS

Are you between 11 and 20 years old? Are you interested in community service, law enforcement, or making new friends? If so, the Windsor Police Cadets might be right for you. Check us out at www.windsorpolicecadets.org or contact Sergeant Bernard Petkis at petkis@townofwindsorct.com or 860-298-4322.

WINDSOR WOMAN'S CLUB AND GFWC

Meetings are generally held on the 2nd Tuesday of the month at 6:30 PM at the L.P. Wilson Community Center and include interesting programs. For more information and to register, call 1-203-470-1574.



MAKE A MEANINGFUL IMPACT

Town of Windsor Boards and Commissions are how engaged residents can volunteer their time and expertise to provide meaningful input to town leaders. Most meet just once a month. Learn about vacancies, meeting schedules, how to apply to volunteer and more at townofwindsorct.com/sf/commissions

Attend in person, watch on WGTV, or on Zoom

Windsor Town Council 1st and 3rd Mondays at 7:30 PM at Town Hall

Town Planning & Zoning Commission 2nd Tuesday/month at 7:00 PM at Town Hall

Board of Education 3rd Tuesday/month 7:00 PM at L.P. Wilson Community Center

WINDSOR'S 2025 LEAF COLLECTION PROGRAM STARTS ON MONDAY OCTOBER 27TH

Windsor's 2025 leaf collection program will begin on Monday October 27th and will end on Friday December 19th. During this eight-week period your leaves will be picked up on the same day as your trash pick-up.

Residents must place their leaves at the curb in 30 to 40 gallon paper leaf bags. Leaves may also be placed in similar-sized containers that are labeled with a "Leaves Only" sticker that can be easily identified by the driver (ie., the sticker facing the road). Residents can obtain these stickers at the Town Hall or the Windsor Transfer Station.

In Windsor, the transfer station accepts residents' leaves at no charge and uses them to produce compost. Leaves must be clean and must not contain other items that will compromise the quality of the mulch that will be created. These items include grass clippings, branches, or other items.

If you choose to self-haul your leaves to the transfer station, there is no charge during this period for dropping off clean loads of leaves, (no contaminants or plastic bags).

The transfer station accepts leaves Mondays and Fridays 8:00 AM to 2:45 PM, Tuesdays and Wednesdays 10:00 AM to 2:45 PM, and Saturdays 8:00 AM to 3:45 PM. Residents should arrive at least 15 minutes prior to closing to allow sufficient time to unload their vehicles. The Windsor Transfer Station is closed on Thursday and Sunday. It is located at 500 Huckleberry Road in Windsor. If you have any questions regarding recycling or composting in Windsor, please call the Transfer Station at 860-285-1833.

WINDSOR HISTORICAL SOCIETY

MUSEUMS FOR ALL

All ages | Windsor Historical Society

Windsor Historical Society is now a proud participant in the Museums for All program. For free admission to our historic homes and galleries for up to 4 people, please show your SNAP EBT card at the front desk.

11:00am-4:00pm | Wed-Sat



WANDERING WINDSOR: BUILT BY BRICKS WALKING TOUR

All ages | Windsor Town Green

Windsor is a town built by bricks, both literally and metaphorically. This tour will cover the origins of brickmaking in Windsor, walk the grounds of the old Mack Brick Yard, and delve into the history of downtown's most prominent brick buildings. Please wear comfortable shoes. The tour is a 1.5 mile loop beginning and ending at the town green in front of the post office. Pre-registration required. Rain or shine.

Sep 6 | 10:00am-11:30am | Sat | Adult: \$10, Member/Senior: \$8, Child: \$6

HANDS ON HEARTH COOKING CLASS: FROM THE COLONIAL GARDEN

Ages 12+ | Windsor Historical Society

Fall season is upon us, so let's explore some of the ways our ancestors preserved/enjoyed the bounties of their gardens and farms. Together we'll harvest, prepare and sample/take home: Sauced Apples, Watermelon Pickles, Pickled Beets and Eggs, Red Cabbage (the Dutch Way), Corn Chowder and Baked Beans. Pre-registration required. Please indicate any dietary restrictions at registration. This is not a nut-free environment. Students are encouraged to bring a small jar to take away pickled goods.

Sep 13 | 11:00am-4:00pm | Sat | \$75 per person plus an estimated \$12-15 food costs



CELEBRATING THE CIVILIAN CONSERVATION CORPS: THE 80TH ANNIVERSARY OF CAMP BRITTON IN WINDSOR

All ages | Windsor Historical Society

Celebrate Camp Britton's 80th anniversary with Marty Podskoch, leading Civilian Conservation Corps historian, and learn about all they did to shape Windsor and Connecticut. Known lovingly as 'Camp Bug', Camp Britton worked in step with the Connecticut Agricultural Station to research and execute insect control. Camp Britton ran educational opportunities in the fine arts, blue collar jobs, and scientific research - opening doors to employment for members after their days with the CCC were over.

Sep 25 | 6:30pm-8:00pm | Thu | Adult: \$10, Member/Senior: \$8, Child: \$6

WANDERING WINDSOR: RIVERSIDE CEMETERY TOUR

All ages | Riverside Cemetery

Join Windsor Historical Society Program Manager Heather Lodge for a stroll through Riverside Cemetery. Founded in 1887 as a cemetery for Windsor's Poor Farm, Riverside expanded to include all members of Windsor society including Civil War veterans, immigrants from all across Europe, mechanics, milkmaids, and a beer brewer who secretly continued his craft during prohibition. Come see their stories set in stone. Pre-registration required. Rain or shine.

Oct 4 | 10:00am-11:30am | Sat | Adult: \$10, Member/Senior: \$8, Child: \$6



HOMESCHOOL DAY: ANNIE'S HOME

Ages 7-10 | Windsor Historical Society

In this two-hour program, students will discover what life was like for a child 200 years ago through the eyes of nine-year-old Annie Howard. Get to know the Howard family through their beautiful, hands-on home, learn about early American economics through Grandpa Howard's store, write with a quill, and send a letter at our early Windsor post office. There are morning and afternoon sessions. Pre-registration required.

Oct 21 | 10:00am-noon and 1:00pm-3:00pm | Tue | \$5

ARTIFACTS OF FREEDOM: 250 YEARS OF WINDSOR'S MILITARY HISTORY

All ages | Windsor Historical Society

Celebrate the 250th anniversary of the founding of the U.S. Army and the generations of American veterans who have protected our nation's freedoms with Windsor Historical Society! Check out some highlights from the Society's collection of military artifacts from the 18th century to today. Have an artifact of your own to show off? Contact Curator Kristen Wands at kwands@windsorhistoricalsociety.org or 860-688-3813. No firearms or explosive devices, please. Pre-registration encouraged.

Nov 6 | 6:30pm-7:15pm | Thu | \$10, Veterans: Free



HANDS ON HEARTH COOKING CLASS: EVERYTHING BUT THE TURKEY

Ages 12+ | Windsor Historical Society

Looking for some new "old" ideas for your holiday feasts? Join us in creating and then sampling/taking home these traditional/colonial dishes: Apple-Currant Relish, Sherried Sweet Potatoes, Creamed Celery with Pecans, Onion Pie, Sweet Potato Biscuits and Pompion Pie. Pre-registration required. Please indicate any dietary restrictions at registration. This is not a nut-free environment.

Nov 8 | 11:00am-4:00pm | Sat | \$75 per person plus an estimated \$12-15 food costs

"INSPIRING EQUAL PARTICIPATION: WINDSOR AFRO AMERICAN CIVIC ASSOCIATION" EXHIBIT CLOSING

All ages | Windsor Historical Society

Our awarding winning exhibit on WAACA is coming down after two wonderful years to make room for our next exhibit, For the Common Good: 250 Years of Windsor Civic Life. Come see it one last time before it closes.

Nov 22 | 11:00am-4:00pm | Sat | Free

HOLIDAY SHOPPING EVENT

All ages | Windsor Historical Society

Give a little history and experience some for yourself this holiday season at Windsor Historical Society! Stop by for special holiday shopping at the Society's museum store; books, Christmas ornaments, toys, Windsor-branded items, and more, all with a special, one-day 15% discount.

Dec 6 | 10:00am-4:00pm | Sat | Free

POMANDER BALL WORKSHOP

All ages | Windsor Historical Society

Pomander balls are a classic Christmas image. These oranges, beautifully studded with patterns of cloves, can be found in many house museums during the holidays. But what are they and how do you make one? Drop in and learn during this special workshop held during the holiday shopping event. No registration required. Estimated time to complete the project: 20 minutes.

Dec 6 | 11:00am-2:00pm | Sat | \$5



HANDS-ON HEARTH COOKING CLASS: SWEET AND SAVORY TREATS

Ages 12+ | Windsor Historical Society

Just in time for the holidays. Prepare, sample and take home such recipes as Apple Charlotte, Beef Pasties, Cheddar Cheese Scones, Lemon Tarts, Wild Mushroom Tartlets, Portugal Cakes and Candied Walnuts. Pre-registration required. Please indicate any dietary restrictions at registration. This is not a nut-free environment.

Dec 13 | 11:00am-4:00pm | Sat | \$75 per person plus an estimated \$12-15 food costs

WILSON PARK IS OFFICIALLY OPEN!



After years of planning, community input, and construction, Wilson Park is finally here, and it was well worth the wait.

Thanks to funding from the Connecticut Community Investment Fund and American Rescue Plan dollars, the once-vacant lot near the I-291 on-ramp has been transformed into a brand-new neighborhood park right at the entrance to the Wilson neighborhood.

Construction kicked off in summer 2024, and over the past year, the site has been steadily taking shape. One of the major additions includes a new bathroom and storage building, which will help support both day-to-day use and special events at the park.

On July 12, the community came together to celebrate the park's grand opening. Families enjoyed music, activities, and a chance to check out the new green space for the first time. It was a proud moment for the Wilson neighborhood and a sign of how powerful resident input can be in shaping local projects.

From the beginning, this park has been driven by community voices. Through surveys, conversations at events like the 2022 Block Party, and meetings with the Wilson/Deerfield Advisory Commission. Those ideas helped shape the final design, which includes walking paths, a playground, basketball courts, a pavilion, open lawn space, and areas for food trucks and events.

Wilson Park isn't just a new place to play—it's a space to gather, relax, celebrate, and connect with neighbors. It's a true community win, and we're excited to see how residents of all ages make it their own.



WINDSOR RECREATION SERVICES

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Follow us on social media! @Windsorctrec   

REGISTRATION

Due to limited space, registration is needed for all recreation programs unless otherwise specified. To register, please visit townofwindsorct.com/recreation or visit the recreation office at the L.P. Wilson Community Center, 599 Matianuck Avenue. Price Key: R = Resident, NR = Nonresident

REFUND POLICY

All refunds will be credited to your customer account unless the program registration fee was paid by credit card, in which case a refund will be credited back to your credit card account. Refunds processed back to credit cards usually appear on the next month's statement. If you have any questions regarding the refund policy, please call us at 860-285-1990.

CANCELLATIONS

For the latest information and cancellations of Windsor Recreation and Leisure Services activities, call 860-285-1988.

YOUTH SPORTS

KARATE-WINDSOR SCHOOL OF SELF DEFENSE

Ages 5-17 | L.P. Wilson Community Center Gymnasium

The Windsor School of Self Defense with Joe Jones offers Martial Arts training for children. Build discipline, learn new skills and techniques, and have fun while progressing through the program. Participants may purchase a uniform for an additional charge.

Sep 2-30, Oct 2-30, Nov 4-25, Dec 2-30 | 6:00pm-7:00pm
| Tue, Thu | R: \$45, NR: \$55

STUDENT OPEN BASKETBALL

Windsor Students in Elementary-High School | L.P. Wilson Community Center Gymnasium

If you're a Windsor student, come play some basketball after school. Whether you want to practice skills or play some informal pickup games, our gym is open to get some physical activity and socialize with friends. A valid student ID is needed.

Sep 2-Dec 30 | 3:00pm-5:00pm | Mon-Fri | Free

FLY BADMINTON CLUB SESSIONS

Ages 5-10 | L.P. Wilson Community Center Gymnasium

Experience the world of Badminton with former USA National Badminton Team member, Nikki Vered. Nikki brings over 30 years of player/coaching experience and has produced multiple International/National champions. Learn the basics and fundamentals of Badminton, strategies and gameplay, as well as advanced technical skills. All skill levels are welcome.

Session 1 | Sep 5-26, Oct 3-24, Nov 7-21, Dec 5-26 | 5:00pm-6:30pm | Fri | R: \$80, NR: \$90

Session 2 | Sep 5-26, Oct 3-24, Nov 7-21, Dec 5-26 | 6:30pm-8:00pm | Fri | R: \$80, NR: \$90

BEGINNER FENCING

Ages 11+ | L.P. Wilson Community Center Gymnasium

Challenge your friend to a duel and learn the fundamentals in this 8-week beginner course of the intense, fun, and intricate art of fencing. Taught by National and International Gold Medalist Mal-sun Marletto, who has over 25 years of personal competitive fencing & coaching experience. The fee includes instruction and all fencing equipment rental. Those taking Level 2 must have completed Level 1.

Level 1 | Sep 17-Nov 19 | 5:15pm-6:30pm | Wed | R: \$180, NR: \$190

Level 2 | Sep 17-Nov 19 | 6:30pm-7:30pm | Wed | R: \$180, NR: \$190

WINDSOR INSTRUCTIONAL BASKETBALL LEAGUE (WIBL)

Grades 2-12 (residents only) | L.P. Wilson Community Center Gymnasium

Sign up for our organized basketball league and keep your skills sharp! Registration opens September 15th and remains open until December 5th. Basic fundamentals and sportsmanship are stressed. Teams will practice once a week and play games on the weekends. All participants must attend at least one clinic in December. Registration cannot be accepted at the clinics. League starts Jan 5th. Coaches will contact everyone after the clinics regarding schedules.



AFTERSCHOOL & VACATION CAMP



R.I.S.E. AFTER SCHOOL ELEMENTARY

Grades 1-5 | 330 Windsor Avenue Community Center

Students enjoy sports, games, arts & crafts, snacks, homework assistance, the Windsorland-Indoor playscape, gym time, and more. Transportation is provided from all Windsor public schools to the Community Center. Follows all school cancellation policies.

Program runs monthly throughout the year | 3:30pm-6:00pm | \$200/month

R.I.S.E. ABOVE AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM

Grades 6-7 | 330 Windsor Avenue Community Center

A well-supervised, engaging after-school program where students enjoy friends, fun, sports, games, science projects, arts & crafts, snacks, homework assistance, and the Teen Zone. Transportation will be provided from all Windsor Public Schools to the community center. Follows all school cancellation policies.

Program runs monthly during the school year | 3:00pm-5:30pm | \$115/month



DECEMBER VACATION CAMP

Grades K-7 | 330 Windsor Avenue Community Center

Students will enjoy their winter break with friends, games, sports, activities, arts and crafts, and more. Participants should bring their own lunch, and we'll provide a snack.

Dec 23, 26, 27 & 30 | 8:00am-5:00pm | Mon-Mon | \$45/day

ADULT SPORTS & FITNESS

ADULT OPEN VOLLEYBALL

Ages 18+ | L.P. Wilson Community Center Gymnasium

Join us for Adult Open Volleyball. Whether you're a seasoned player or just looking to stay active, this open-gym format offers a great opportunity to enjoy the game, meet new people, and improve your skills in a casual, welcoming environment. All skill levels are welcome. Limited to 24 players.

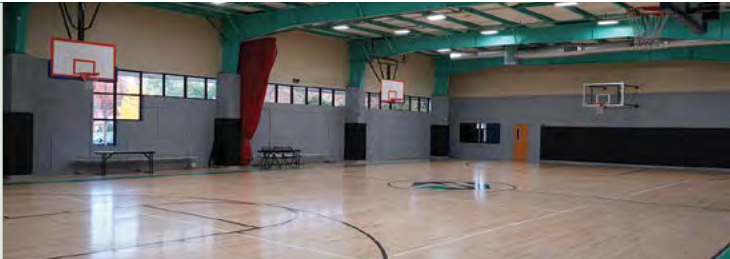
Sep 3-Dec 29 | 7:30pm-9:00pm | Mon, Wed, & Thu | R: \$1, NR:\$2

COMMUNITY RUNNING CLUB

Ages 16+ | Northwest Park

Whether you're looking to connect with fellow runners or just getting started, our Saturday morning running group is the perfect place to begin! Led by Chris Stack, a licensed Physical Therapist and Endurance Coach, this supportive and energizing group is designed to help runners of all levels improve their technique, build endurance, and stay injury-free.

Sep 6-Nov 15 | 8:00am-9:00am | Sat | Free



THE WINZONE PARTY RENTALS

Rent our exciting Winzone at the 330 Windsor Avenue Community Center. Winzone includes an indoor playscape, rock wall, and gymnasium. Winzone can be rented on Saturdays for birthday parties. Available from September 13th to December 21st, rental hours are from noon to 7:00 PM. For more information, call 860-285-1990 or visit our website.

Rental rates:

2 hours: \$150
3 hours: \$205
4 hours: \$260
5 hours: \$315
6 hours: \$370

Party Extras:

Imagination Playground Blocks: A revolutionary playground system that can transform any party or event into a space that promotes learning, social development, movement, and, most importantly, fun! These blocks are designed to let children's imaginations run wild as they can build anything they can imagine, such as animals, rocket ships, houses, or robots. The beauty of these blocks is that children make the rules, as imagination play is child-directed and open-ended, which encourages self-expression through deep and joyful play.

Price: \$100/per party

WINDSOR RECREATION SERVICES



ADULT OPEN PICKLEBALL

Ages 18+ | L.P. Wilson Community Center Gymnasium

Whether you're a beginner or an experienced player, this is a great way to stay active, have fun, and connect with others in a relaxed and social setting. You must bring your own paddles and balls.

Sep 7-Dec 28 | 1:00pm-2:45pm | Sun | R: \$1, NR: \$2

FLY BADMINTON GROUP PLAY

Ages 18+ | L.P. Wilson Community Center Gymnasium

Enjoy friendly matches, stay active, and improve your game in a welcoming and social environment. All skill levels are encouraged to participate. Bring your own racket or borrow.

Sep 7-Dec 28 | 9:00am-noon | Sun | R: \$20, NR: \$28

ADULT ENRICHMENT

SOUND MEDITATION WITH MARIA

Ages 16+ | L.P. Wilson Community Center

Relax, unwind, and recharge in our bi-weekly Sound Meditation series with seasoned practitioner Maria del Carmen. Let soothing sounds wash over you—just bring your yoga mat, pillow, bolster, or blanket and settle in for deep, restorative relaxation.

Sep 2, 16, 30; Oct 14, 28; Nov 18; Dec 2, 16 | 6:00pm-7:00pm | Tue | \$18/class

DOG TRAINING LEVEL 1 AND LEVEL 2

Ages 16+ | L.P. Wilson Community Center

You and your dog will learn a wide variety of skills and an understanding of how to progress in appropriate steps leading towards off leash control. Class is appropriate for puppies and dogs of all ages and gives a solid foundation for a well-mannered pet. Although courses can deal with many problem behaviors, these courses are not meant to address serious behavior issues, such as aggression. Contact Laurie at 860-667-1847 or laurie@lauriefassdogtraining.com with questions about your dog and the training.

Level 1 | Sep 7-Oct 12 | 9:30am-10:30am | Sun | \$90/session

Level 2 | Sep 7-Oct 12 | 10:35am-11:35am | Sun | \$90/session

DANCE MEDIATION POP-UPS

Ages 16+ | L.P. Wilson Community Center

Take a break from the hustle and rediscover the beauty of presence and connection with yourself and others. Somatic movement encourages a deep connection with your body and mind, allowing for intuitive and joyful expression, regardless of your dance background. This practice supports emotional well-being by providing a space for grounding and the release of pent-up emotions. All experience levels are welcome.

Sep 14, 28; Oct 5, 9 | 10:00am-11:00am | Sun | \$10

YIN/RESTORATIVE YOGA CLASS

Ages 16+ | L.P. Wilson Community Center

Enjoy deeply relaxing and stress-releasing postures, combined with deep abdominal breathing to ground us and restore life energy. They are ideal for people who are overworked, living with chronic conditions, or simply wish for deeper self-care.

Sep 9-Oct 21, Oct 28-Dec 9 | 5:00pm-6:30pm | Tue | \$35

LOVING HEALTH INTO BEING – YOGA POP UP

Ages 16+ | L.P. Wilson Community Center

For those of us living with a chronic disease, health care may often be presented solely as a treatment from outside to combat something “bad” inside us. Join us as we explore supplemental health-enhancing modalities to draw on our internal medicine, including tailored yoga postures and acupressure points, qigong, breathwork, positive affirmations, and more.

Sep 10 | 5:00pm-6:00pm | Wed | \$10

YOGA FOR THE NEW OR HESITANT YOGI

Ages 16+ | L.P. Wilson Community Center

Yoga doesn't have to be intimidating. Relax; this class caters to the new or hesitant yogi. Frank is a certified Yoga Teacher with Yoga Alliance. Learn simple postures with blocks and straps to make them easy to express. Yoga is for everybody, not just the young and naturally flexible. Class includes breath work, postures, correct alignment, relaxation, meditation, and yogic wisdom!

Sep 11-Oct 21, Oct 30-Dec 11 | 5:30pm-7:30pm | Thu | \$35

ADULT BELLYDANCE

Ages 16+ | L.P. Wilson Community Center

Experience a new way to work out! Bellydance is a fun, expressive dance form that involves hip and core movements. It can help with balance, core strength, and confidence.

Sep 22-Oct 27, Nov 3-Dec 8 | 6:00pm-7:00pm | Mon | \$28/session

MIXXEDFIT WITH CREYA

Ages 16+ | L.P. Wilson Community Center

MixedFit with Creya is a people-inspired fitness program that combines explosive dance movements with bodyweight toning. All levels are welcome. No class 10/8.

Sep 24-Oct 29 | 5:30pm-6:30pm | Wed | \$35

Nov 12-Dec 17 | 5:30pm-6:30pm | Wed | \$35



EXTREME HIP HOP STEP - BEGINNER

Ages 16+ | L.P. Wilson Community Center

Discover the benefits of Xtreme Hip Hop Step! Improve your cardiovascular endurance with low-impact movements that reduce joint stress. Embrace a slower pace to learn the movements and routines stress-free. Perfect for beginners.

Sep 23-Oct 23, Nov 4 -Dec 9 | 7:45pm-8:30pm | Tue | \$35/session

EXTREME HIP HOP STEP - INTERMEDIATE

Ages 16+ | L.P. Wilson Community Center

Embrace a faster-paced Xtreme Hip Hop STEP environment for students looking for medium-intensity and intermediate skills. We cover everything from the basics to the advanced moves! No class 11/27.

Sep 25-Oct 30, Nov 6-Dec 18 | 7:45pm-8:30pm | Thu | \$35/session

XTREME HIIT DANCE (XTREME HD)

Ages 16+ | L.P. Wilson Community Center

Xtreme HD blends high-intensity interval training with dynamic dance moves for a powerful, sweat-inducing workout. With energizing music, modifications for all levels, and nonstop movement, this class builds strength, endurance, and confidence. Whether you're new to fitness or experienced, you'll be challenged—and have a blast doing it!

Sep 22-Oct 27 | 7:30pm-8:30pm | Mon | \$35

Nov 3-Dec 8 | 7:30pm-8:30pm | Mon | \$35

CARDIO DANCE WITH KAYLA

Ages 16+ | L.P. Wilson Community Center

Get your heart pumping and body moving with Cardio Dance with Kayla, a high-energy workout that blends fun dance choreography with upbeat cardio, all set to the rhythm of the music. No experience needed -just bring your energy and enjoy the beat!

Sep 17-Oct 22 | 6:30pm-7:30pm | Wed | \$35

WHEN IT HITS THE FAN: YOGA TO REDUCE ANXIETY AND STRESS

Ages 16+ | L.P. Wilson Community Center

Life in this fast-paced, multi-tasking, always-on, digital world is often overwhelming and chaotic. Yoga teaches us ancient daily practices to ground, center, and calm our restless minds and emotions and to discharge chronic stress from our bodies. Join us on a journey inside to find the peace and contentment buried at the core of our being.

Oct 8 | 5:00pm-6:00pm | Wed | \$10

AQUATICS

WATER FITNESS

Ages 16+ | Windsor High School Indoor Pool

Enjoy a workout that uses the water's natural resistance to help you get fit by building cardiovascular fitness and strength. Because of their low-impact format, water exercise classes are suitable for almost every age and fitness level. And just like swimming, water exercise classes are easy on your joints. No class on 9/22, 10/13, 11/10, 11/12, or 11/26.

Sep 8-Oct 20 | 7:30pm-8:30pm | Mon & Wed | \$90

Oct 27-Dec 10 | 7:30pm-8:30pm | Mon & Wed | \$90

LAP SWIM

Ages 18+ | Windsor High School

What better way to stay in shape this fall than swimming laps? Sessions are subject to change, and lanes are shared. No lap swim on November 27.

Oct 21-Dec 9 | 5:30pm-7:00pm | Tue | \$15

Oct 23-Dec 11 | 8:00pm-9:00pm | Tue | \$15

SPLISH SPLASH ADAPTIVE SWIM LESSONS

Ages 5-21 | Windsor High School Indoor Pool

Lessons are available for persons with developmental and/or cognitive impairments. The emphasis is on development of swimming skills and increasing range of motion through a total body workout on an individual basis. With a 1:1 teacher to student ratio, this class will boost confidence and enhance the swimming experience. Lessons are held in 30 minute increments.

Oct 21-Dec 9 | 5:30pm-7:00pm | Tue | \$65

WINDSOR RECREATION SERVICES

FALL SWIM LESSONS

Ages 1-15 | Windsor High School Indoor Pool

Swim lesson registration begins on Thursday, September 18 at 8:00 AM online and at the L.P. Wilson Community Center. Lessons begin on Saturday, October 18 and continue each Saturday (no class November 29) through December 13 at the Windsor High School indoor pool. Lessons are \$75 per child.

Stroke Development (Lvl 3) | 11:00am-11:50am

Water Adjustment | 11:00am-11:30am

Water Adjustment Adv. | 11:30am-noon

Parent/Tot | 11:30am-noon

Intro to Water Skills | Noon-12:50pm

Stroke Refinement (Lvl 5) | Noon-12:50pm

Fundamental Aquatic Skills (Lvl 2) | 1:00pm-1:50pm

Stroke Improvement (Lvl 4) | 1:00pm-1:50pm

EVENT



NIGHT OF 1001 PUMPKINS

All ages | L.P. Wilson Community Center

Enjoy an outdoor pumpkin patch, outdoor pumpkin carving, music, bounce houses, games, fall crafts, cider, and donuts. No registration needed.

Oct 23 | 6:00pm-7:30pm | Thu | Free

FAMILY BINGO NIGHT

All ages | L.P. Wilson Community Center

Are you and your family missing the summer fun? Embrace the fall and grab the gang for a relaxed bingo night. Bring a nonperishable food item for the Windsor Food Bank and receive an extra door prize raffle ticket. Pizza, chips, and refreshments will be available.

Nov 12 | 6:00pm-7:30pm | Thu | Free



WINTER WONDERLAND

All ages | L.P. Wilson Community Center

Photos with Santa, holiday arts & crafts, holiday inflatables, hot chocolate & Kona Ice.

Dec 11 | 6:00pm-7:30pm | Thu | Free

PHONE CALLS FROM THE NORTH POLE

Ages 2-9 | L.P. Wilson Community Center

Every child's wish list includes a phone call from Santa! Sign up to receive a special call that will light up your child's Christmas. Please pick up a form in our office at the L.P. Wilson Community Center or download it from our website and return it to our office by Friday, December 10th.

Dec 17 | 4:30pm-8:00pm | Thu | Free



DECK THE HOUSE HOLIDAY LIGHT CONTEST

Ages 16+ | Community Event

Do you think you have one of the best-decorated houses in Windsor, CT, this holiday season? Windsor Recreation will be conducting the 4th Annual Deck the House: Holiday Light Contest this year. Winners of each prize will win Visa Gift Cards and bragging rights. Applications must be received no later than 5:00 PM on Wednesday, December 3rd. Register online at townofwindsorct.com or the L.P. Wilson Community Center at 599 Matianuck Avenue. 860-285-1990.

PARK LOCATIONS & AMENITIES

Parks / Trails	Address	Pool	Grills	Pavilion	Trails	Playscape	Restrooms	Walk Path	Fishing Pond	Tennis Court	Soccer Field	Basketball Courts	Baseball/ Softball Field	Total Acreage
Custer Park	58 Custer Dr.					X								4
Deerfield Park	70 Colton Park					X						X		2
Fitch Park	180 Bloomfield Ave.					X							X	7.6
Lancaster Park	95 Lancaster Dr.					X						X	X	36.2
Northwest Park	145 Lang Rd.			X	X	X	X	X			X			465
Sharshon Park	48 Skitchewaug St.		X	X		X		X			X	X		12
Stroh Park	685 Windsor Ave.	X				X						X		10
Trent Park	40 Trent Dr.					X						X	X	5
Washington Park	18 Lenox Ave.		X	X		X	(X)	X	X					14.6
Welch Park	45 Niles Rd.	X	X			X				X		X	X	9.6
LP Wilson	599 Matianuck Ave						((X))	X		X	X		X	31.4
Mill Brook	147 Pigeon Hill Rd							X						95
Bissel Bridge Trail	265 East Barber St.				X									
Windsor Center Trail	52 Palisado Ave.				X									

(X) Bathrooms are open on a permit basis only

((X)) Bathrooms are open only during business hours

THE CARING CONNECTION



WINDSOR'S ADULT DAY HEALTH CENTER

Let's partner and provide the best care possible for your loved one.

The Caring Connection is a place for adults to spend their day with peers and caring staff in a supportive environment being active and engaging in fun and meaningful activity in a home like setting.

We welcome you to come visit and see for yourself! Call to schedule a tour and meet our dedicated staff.

Contact us and learn how our adult day center can "change how your loved one lives not where."



330 Windsor Avenue, Windsor
860-547-0251
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@WindsorCaringConnection



Welcome Tara Nuzzo, Caring Connection's New Manager.

We are pleased to welcome Tara Nuzzo as the new Manager of the Caring Connection Adult Day Health Center.

Tara is an Occupational Therapist and Certified Dementia Practitioner with 9 years of experience enhancing the well-being and safety of adults and older adults. Give Tara a call to learn more about the Caring Connection's supportive programs, affordable rates, and available financial assistance.

NORTHWEST PARK



NORTHWEST PARK & NATURE CENTER

145 Lang Rd.
Windsor, CT 06095
860-285-1886
townofwindsorct.com/recreation/northwest-park
Follow us on social media! @NorthwestParkCT  

Nature Center hours:

Monday – Friday: 8:30 AM to 4:30 PM • Saturday: 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM • Sunday: 1:00 PM to 5:00 PM

REGISTRATION

Registration is required for all programs unless otherwise specified. To register: visit our website at townofwindsorct.com/recreation/northwest-park, call the Nature Center at 860-285-1886, or register in person during business hours by visiting us at 145 Lang Rd. Windsor, CT. Price Key: R = Resident, NR = Non-resident.

REFUND POLICY & CANCELLATIONS

We understand that plans can change. Be advised that a 24-hour notice is required for all cancellations. Cancellations made less than 24 hours in advance will receive user credit. We do not issue refunds for non-attendance. In the event that we must cancel a session, you will be notified at least 2 hours prior, and a full refund will be provided.

NORTHWEST PARK PERKS

Discover the charm of Northwest Park, a community treasure operated by the Department of Recreation and Leisure Services. Explore exhibits featuring local wildlife and seasonal highlights at the nature center, or visit the Animal Barn to meet Heritage breed livestock, including Cisco the donkey. Witness production of maple syrup at the working Sugarhouse and rent a plot in the community garden for your own green-thumb endeavors. Find inspiration in the demonstration organic garden and sensory garden, showcasing native plants that support pollinators. With a year-round calendar of workshops for all ages, school field trips, and summer day camp programs, there's always something new to experience at Northwest Park.

EMBARK ON AN ADVENTURE

Explore the captivating landscape of Northwest Park, a 473-acre sanctuary showcasing Windsor's diverse natural beauty. Discover 12 miles of hiking trails, including accessible paths, winding through forests, grasslands, and wetlands along the Farmington River. Home to some of Connecticut's rarest wildlife, the park also offers a glimpse into its rich history as former tobacco farmland. With every step, uncover traces of the past and immerse yourself in nature's splendor.



NORTHWEST PARK RENTALS

Host your next gathering at Northwest Park. Our picturesque park offers two open-air picnic shelters available for rent from April through November. Choose between the spacious Picnic Pavilion, accommodating up to 150 guests, or the intimate Warming Shed, perfect for groups of up to 50.

Rental reservations are accepting starting January 1 of the same calendar year, with prices ranging from \$115 to \$280, plus a \$100 refundable security deposit. To secure your ideal venue, contact the park office at 860-285-1886, and let us help you create lasting memories in the heart of nature, today!

TAKE THE NWP TRAIL HIKE CHALLENGE

Love exploring Northwest Park? Take on the Trail Hike Challenge and experience the beauty of it all! Between the Spring Equinox (March 20, 2025) and the Winter Solstice (December 21, 2025), hike every trail in the park—over 12 miles in total. With plenty of time to go at your own pace, you can complete the challenge in multiple outings. Pick up a Hike Challenge log sheet at the Nature Center or download one below to track your progress. The log also includes self-guided discovery notes highlighting unique features and points of interest on each trail to enhance your journey.

Let us know when you've completed your quest! Drop off your completed log sheet at the Northwest Park Nature Center or submit your information online. You'll receive official certification of your achievement.



DISCOVERY DAYS

All ages | Northwest Park Nature Center

Stop into the Nature Center to chat with our educators and explore the various exhibits. Get hands-on with artifacts and learn about a fun, new topic each month.

Sep 20 | Nature's Recyclers | 10:00am-2:00pm | Sat | Free

Oct 18 | Habitats & Homes | 10:00am-2:00pm | Sat | Free

Nov 22 | Water Distribution | 10:00am-2:00pm | Sat | Free

Dec 20 | Winter Solstice | 10:00am-2:00pm | Sat | Free



LIVE ANIMAL DEMONSTRATIONS

All ages | Northwest Park Nature Center

Watch our environmental educators feed the nature center animals! This is a great opportunity to ask questions about their diets and enrichment while learning a bit more about the animals that call the Nature Center their home.

Oct 13 | 11:00am-11:30am | Mon | Free

Nov 26 | 11:00am-11:30am | Wed | Free

Dec 22 | 11:00am-11:30am | Mon | Free

Dec 24 | 11:00am-11:30am | Wed | Free

Dec 26 | 11:00am-11:30am | Fri | Free

NORTHWEST PARK



WEE WANDERERS

Ages 2-5 | Northwest Park Libby Taylor Education Hall

Start their love of nature early! Each 5-week session will reflect the current season and include hands-on exploration, a chance to meet the creatures who live at the park, and time to create a take home craft related to the day's adventures. Guardians are required to stay and participate in the variously planned activities. Make sure to dress for the weather, as there is always an outdoor/hiking component to each class. Registration is for the full five-week session.

Oct 13-Nov 10 | 9:30am-10:45am | Falling in Love with Nature | Mon | R: \$50, NR: \$60

Nov 17-Dec 15 | 9:30am-10:45am | Winding Down for Winter | Mon | R: \$50, NR: \$60

HOMESCHOOL

Ages 5-10 | Northwest Park Warming Shed

Northwest Park invites homeschool families to participate in our interactive science and nature discovery lessons held on the first and third Wednesday of every month. With a variety of topics and convenient morning or afternoon sessions, there's something for everyone! Guardians are required to stay for the fun, engaging with their students as they learn from our knowledgeable educators. Each class includes valuable resources and at-home activities to keep the learning going.

Wed | R: \$12, NR: \$15 | 10:30am-11:30am or 2:00pm-3:00pm

Nature's Recyclers | Sep 3 or 17

Habitats & Homes | Oct 1 or 15

Water Cycle & Distribution | Nov 5 or 19

Winter Solstice – Sun, Moon, & Stars | Dec 3 or 17



HOMESCHOOL (PRE)TEEN

Ages 11-14 | Northwest Park Warming Shed

For our homeschool preteens, we host interactive science and nature discovery lessons on the third Wednesday of each month, with topics varying across our Fall, Winter, and Spring series. Our blended learning approach combines lectures and field-based experiences, fostering curiosity and critical thinking. Students are encouraged to actively participate, ask questions, and develop essential skills in a supportive environment. Guardians have the flexibility to drop off or join in on this educational journey. Registration is for the full three-class session.

Wed | 12:30pm-1:30pm | R: \$36, NR: \$45

Fall Series:

Nature's Recyclers | Sep 17

Habitats & Homes | Oct 15

Water Distribution | Nov 19

Winter Series:

Winter Solstice | Dec 17

FULL MOON HIKE

Ages 12+ | Northwest Park Warming Shed

Come out to Northwest Park for a Full Moon Hike guided by NWP staff. Use your senses to explore the park after dark. Grab the family or some friends and enjoy the beautiful scenery while being active outdoors and learning about the seasonal changes happening in nature.

Sep 7 | 7:00pm-8:30pm | Harvest Moon

| Sat | R: \$12, NR: \$16

Oct 6 | 6:30pm-8:00pm | Hunter Moon

| Mon | R: \$12, NR: \$16

Nov 5 | Golden Hour 4:00pm-5:30pm | Beaver Moon

| Wed | R: \$12, NR: \$16

Dec 4 | 4:00pm-5:30pm | Cold Moon

| Thu | R: \$12, NR: \$16

INSIDE THE HIVE: A BEE'S LIFE

Ages 4-11 | Northwest Park Libby Taylor Education Hall

In this engaging presentation, children will embark on a thrilling adventure as they explore the fascinating world of bees through an interactive movie, lively bee dancing, (also known as "The Waggle"), and an introduction to bee communication, flight, and pollen collection. Get the chance to try on bee suits and enjoy delicious honey straws and coloring books as take-home treats. Sponsored by The Friends of Northwest Park. Not a drop off program.

Sep 13 | 10:30am-11:30am | Sat | R: \$8, NR: \$10, FONWP Members: Free

PAUL COLBURN, MWC PRESENTS: PROVIDING HABITAT FOR CT WILDLIFE

Ages 14+ | Northwest Park Libby Taylor Education Hall

Come learn valuable information for those wishing to enhance their property, (no matter the size), for all sorts of CT wildlife. Species covered include mammals, reptiles, amphibians, insects, and birds. There are many things we can do to provide sustenance and shelter for the wild creatures among us, including natural methods of land management and the use of native flowers, bushes, and trees. Sponsored by the Friends of Northwest Park.

Oct 25 | 1:00pm-2:00pm | Sat | R: \$8, NR: \$10, FONWP Members: Free

NOWASHE VILLAGE PRESENTS: TRADITIONAL FOODWAYS

Ages 18+ | Northwest Park Libby Taylor Education Hall

Step into the Northeast of the Woodland Period and learn about traditional foodways and preservation techniques. Educators from Nowashe Village in South Windsor will discuss eating seasonally and what that looked like for the Indigenous People of Connecticut. In this multi-sensory program, we will explore native plants and artifacts from the teaching collection of the Friends of Wood Memorial Library and Museum. Sponsored by The Friends of Northwest Park

Nov 13 | 11:00am-noon | Thu | R: \$8, NR: \$10, FONWP Members: Free

YULE LOG WORKSHOP

Ages 18+ | Northwest Park Libby Taylor Education Hall

Step into a world of ancient traditions, where the longest night of the year is transformed into a celebration of light, hope, and renewal. Immerse yourself in the enchanting history of Yule, as we guide you through the time-honored tradition of crafting a Yule Log - a powerful symbol of the returning sun and the promise of brighter days ahead. Experience the warm glow of community and the joy of creativity as you craft your unique Yule Log, adorned with the bounty of nature's gifts.

Dec 20 | 3:00pm-5:00pm or 5:30pm-7:30pm
| Sat | R: \$45, NR: \$50



JOIN THE WINDSOR VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT!

We're looking for passionate individuals to serve our community as firefighters. It's not about your degree or background; it's about having the heart to make a difference. If you're ready to serve in a unique and impactful way, we want you!

No training? No problem! We'll provide all the professional training you need at no cost.

Our volunteers are fully equipped to handle any situation. Are you ready to step up?

Learn more and get involved at windsorfire.org. Help us, help you!



WINDSOR SENIOR CENTER

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REGISTRATION
Due to limited space, registration is needed for all senior center programs unless otherwise noted. Please visit townofwindsorct.com/senior to register or call 860-285-1992 for information. Price Key: R = Resident, NR = Nonresident

Registration open dates:
September events: Aug 25
October events: Sep 29
November events: Oct 27
December events: Nov 24

SOCIALS & CELEBRATIONS

PROCLAMATION NIGHT
Ages 55+ | Council Chambers, Windsor Town Hall
September is National Senior Center Month. This month celebrates senior centers and the positive impact they have on older adults’ lives. Join with Windsor Senior Center Staff and volunteers as we accept the Proclamation of Senior Center Month at tonight’s Town Council Meeting. It’s a time to showcase how centers enrich the lives of seniors and their importance in the community.

Sep 8 | 7:30pm-8:00pm | Tue | Free

MUSICAL TRIVIA
Ages 55+ | Council Chambers, Windsor Town Hall
DJ Mike from Homewatch Caregivers will host musical trivia to test your skills! Prizes will be awarded to the most knowledgeable participants.

Sep 24 | Decades Trivia | 1:00pm-2:30pm | Wed | Free

Dec 3 | Holiday Hits Trivia | 1:00pm-2:30pm | Wed | Free

55TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE SENIOR CENTER
Ages 55+ | Hilton Garden Inn, Windsor
Join us for an elegant evening of dining, dancing, and celebration. Dinner options include Beef Medallion, Crab Crusted Cod, Vegetable Napoleon, or Chicken Francois, each matched with an appetizer, salad, and dessert. You will be asked your meal selection upon making your reservation. A cash bar will be available. Live music by Mass-Conn-Fusion. Registration ends on 9/15.

Sep 30 | 5:00pm-8:00pm | Tue | R: \$20, NR: \$25

APPLE PIE SUNDAE SOCIAL
Ages 55+ | Windsor Senior Center
We will embrace the essence of autumn by enjoying yummy Apple Pie Sundaes with friends at the Center. We hope you can join us!

Nov 5 | 1:00pm-2:00pm | Wed | Free



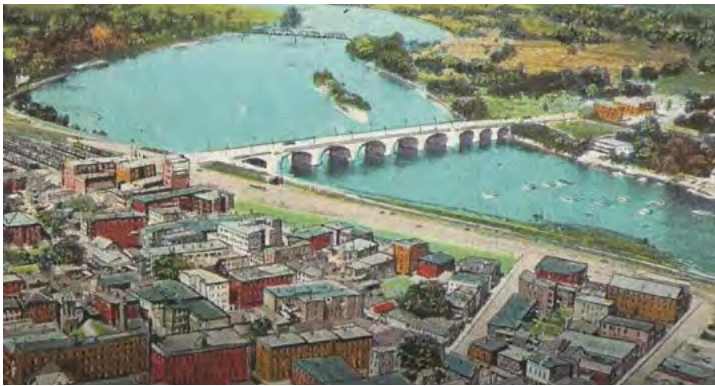
ANNUAL HOLIDAY PARTY
Ages 55+ | Windsor Senior Center
Live music, dancing with friends, delicious food, raffles, and desserts all mixed up with the essence of the holiday season.

Dec 10 | 11:30am-2:00pm | Wed | R: \$13, NR: \$15

EDUCATION & INFORMATION

AARP DRIVER’S SAFETY
Ages 55+ | Windsor Senior Center
Roads and rules change. So do drivers. Brush up on your skills for behind the wheel with this popular driving course, hosted by AARP. Payable in cash or check to AARP.

Sep 8, Nov 3 | 9:00am-1:00pm | Mon | AARP Members: \$20, Non-members: \$25



HISTORIC HARTFORD
Ages 55+ | Windsor Senior Center
Historian and presenter, Daniel Sterner will offer a captivating three-part series, allowing us to delve into Hartford’s “lost” history. Daniel uses historic images and maps to bring to life the fascinating stories behind the city’s historic buildings and neighborhoods—both those that still exist and those that have been lost to time. Join us for one or all three programs.

Sep 10, Oct 8, Nov 12 | 1:00pm-2:15pm | Wed | Free



SENIOR HEALTH AND WELLNESS FAIR
Ages 55+ | Windsor Senior Center
Windsor residents will have the opportunity for a variety of health-related screenings and tests and persons 18 and older may also receive their annual flu shot – both the standard and high-dose flu vaccine will be available. Please bring all of your insurance cards with you which may include a Medicare Advantage, Medicare and/or Private Insurance Card. The cost without insurance will be \$30 for a standard dose flu shot and \$45 for a high dose flu shot. Approximately 30 vendors will be available to share information, and refreshments will be available for purchase. You do not need to arrive early as shots and tests will be available throughout the event.

Oct 9 | 8:30am-noon | Thu | Free

TRIPS & ADVENTURES

BY AIR
COSTA RICA
March 5-13, 2026

SPOTLIGHT ON TUSCANY
April 21-29, 2026

PACIFIC NORTHWEST + CALIFORNIA
August 23-30, 2026

ANCIENT GREECE
October 31 – November 10, 2026

BY SENIOR BUS
JUKEBOX 45: DOOWOP AT THE AQUATURF
Ages 55+ | Windsor Senior Center
This group plays some of the most memorable songs from the great era of DooWop. Paul Anka, The Duprees, Fred Parrish & The 5 Satins, Larry Chance & The Earls, just to name a few. Celebrating decades of legendary music, you won’t want to miss this!

Sep 9 | 11:00am-3:30pm | Tue | R: \$60, NR: \$65

TATE’S RESTAURANT
Ages 55+ | Windsor Senior Center
Enjoy comfort food, delicious seafood, vibrant cocktails, and more with a beautiful view.

Sep 27 | 11:00am-2:30pm | Sat | Free

THE HEAD OF THE RIVERFRONT REGATTA IN HARTFORD
Ages 55+ | Windsor Senior Center
This event is hosted by Riverfront Recapture a non-profit organization. The “Regatta River Front” in Hartford, CT refers to the area where the Head of Riverfront Regatta, a US Rowing-registered rowing race, takes place.

Oct 5 | 8:00am-4:00pm | Sun | Free

A TRIBUTE TO THE LEGENDS OF OLD VEGAS
Ages 55+ | Windsor Senior Center
These dynamic performers will bring back your favorites from Sinatra, Dino, Wayne Newton, Bobby Darin, Marilyn Monroe, Peggy Lee, Nancy Sinatra, Lynn Anderson, and Rosemary Clooney!

Oct 14 | 11:00am-3:30pm | Tue | R: \$60, NR: \$65

NEW ENGLAND CHRISTMAS FESTIVAL AT MOHEGAN SUN
Ages 55+ | Windsor Senior Center
The New England Christmas Festival, a large arts and crafts fair with over 350 pop-up shops.

Nov 8 | 8:30am-3:00pm | Sat | Free

BUTTERFLY RESTAURANT & BEN & JERRY’S WEST HARTFORD, CT
Ages 55+ | Windsor Senior Center
Butterfly is authentic & traditional Chinese dining and Ben & Jerry’s is known for their iconic Vermont-based ice cream parlor chain and cleverly named flavors.

Nov 15 | 11:30am-2:00pm | Sat | Free

HOLIDAY CLASSICS WITH THE CARTELLS! AT THE AQUA TURF CLUB
Ages 55+ | Windsor Senior Center
Enjoy an afternoon filled with food, fun and music designed to get you in the holiday spirit.

Dec 9 | 11:00am-3:30pm | Tue | R: \$60, NR: \$65

FESTIVAL OF TREES AND TRADITIONS AT WADSWORTH ATHENEUM & PLAN B BURGER BAR - HARTFORD
Ages 55+ | Windsor Senior Center
The Festival of Trees & Traditions is presented by the Friends of the Wadsworth Atheneum. Be sure to locate the donated tree from the Senior Center! Lunch afterward at Plan B Burger Bar in Hartford.

Dec 6 | 11:30am-3:00pm | Sat | Free

WINDSOR SENIOR CENTER

BY COACH BUS

FRICK COLLECTION & CARMINE'S UPPER WEST SIDE, NY

Ages 55+ | Windsor Senior Center

The Frick Collection - a premier art museum on the Upper East Side, recently reopened after completing an expensive renovation project. This 1914 mansion houses art from the Renaissance to the early twentieth century. This trip includes an Italian family-style sit-down lunch at Carmine's Upper West Side.

Oct 18 | 6:45am-7:00pm | Sat | R: \$170, NR: \$175



FOXWOODS DAY TRIP

Ages 55+ | Windsor Senior Center

Attention casino, shopping, dining, and bingo enthusiasts! Join us on a coach bus journey to Foxwoods Casino in Ledyard. Enjoy ample time for high-stakes bingo, explore Tanger Outlets, savor delicious meals, or try your luck at the Roulette table.

Dec 4 | 8:30am-4:30pm | Thu | R: \$36, NR: \$41

CRAFTS & CREATIVITY

GOLDEN HANDS CRAFTING PRESENTS

Ages 55+ | Windsor Senior Center

This program is possible in part by the American Rescue Plan Act.

Sep 16 | Herbal Lotion & Cream Crafting | 10:00am-11:30am | Tue | R: \$8, NR: \$10

Oct 21 | Candle Making | 10:00am-11:30am | Tue | R: \$8, NR: \$10

Nov 18 | DIY Holiday Sweater Party | 10:00am-11:30am | Tue | R: \$8, NR: \$10



HEALING THROUGH THE ART OF CREATIVITY

Ages 55+ | Windsor Senior Center

Jo Hansling, a retired nurse, teacher, and craftswoman, will deliver a personal story about loss and what she did to heal herself through creativity. The purpose of this program is to inspire people to find their own creativity in whatever form it may be, then to use it to bring joy to others and themselves through the act of giving.

Oct 22 | 1:00pm-2:00pm | Wed | Free

AUTUMN LANTERN WORKSHOP

Ages 55+ | Windsor Senior Center

Transform a mason jar into a stunning glass lantern. Join Amy Lopez from Bloom Where Planted as she guides you through the process of dried elements from nature to craft a seasonal treasure. This delightful creation can be kept for your own enjoyment or gifted to someone special as cherished keepsake.

Nov 5 | 1:00pm-2:00pm | Wed | R: \$8, NR: \$10

PAINT-YOUR-OWN-PET WATERCOLOR WORKSHOP

Ages 55+ | Windsor Senior Center

Create a watercolor masterpiece of your favorite pet on a canvas - no painting experience needed. All supplies will be provided. You'll receive step-by-step guidance from CT Humane Society's staff. You can paint any pet you have, or if you don't have one, choose from one of CHS's adorable adoptable pets.

Nov 13 | 9:30am-11:30am | Thu | R: \$20, NR: \$30

SENIOR FITNESS CENTER



Your journey to wellness begins at the Windsor Senior Center!

Taking the first, or even 100th step of a wellness journey isn't always easy, but at the Windsor Senior Center, we have your back! Find the support and motivation from friends, instructors, and staff at the Windsor Senior Center to reach your personal goals.

Try signing up for our 55+ Fitness Center (open 7 days per week with longer hours), and enjoy a wide variety offerings. You may register for the below classes online. Pay for a 10-class drop-in card for each class, or sign up for a monthly session and pay per class. Your first class is always free! Price per offering may be found in our monthly newsletter or on the town website.

The Windsor Senior Center is proud to partner with providers to offer the following wellness benefits to qualified participants: Renew Active, Silver Sneakers, Prime, Silver & Fit, and Active & Fit.

SILVERSNEAKERS CLASSIC, (A SEATED AEROBICS CLASS):

Build confidence and endurance while safely seated in this class. Do not have to have SilverSneakers Benefit to attend.

DAILY PICKLEBALL:

Enjoy friendly competition on the court while working up a sweat playing this wildly popular sport.

HAPPY HIKERS CLUB:

Runs April -November. Group meets weekly to hike trails in CT and in MA.

LINE DANCING WITH CONNIE:

Have fun while learning choreographed dance with others seniors. No partner needed.

SILVERSNEAKERS BOOM MUSCLE:

An aerobic workout to enhance your strength and endurance. Do not have to have SilverSneakers Benefit to attend.

SILVERSNEAKERS CHAIR YOGA:

Strengthen your core and increase your flexibility while safely seated in class. Do not have to have SilverSneakers Benefit to attend.

TAI CHI WITH GINGER:

Flow into your day with gentle physical exercise and stretching.

TRAIL RIDERS CLUB:

Runs April - November. Ride locally on paved trails to enjoy exercise and beautiful scenery.

WALKING CLUB:

Get your steps in with other seniors either on the walking path at the L.P. Wilson Center or indoors on inclement days.

YOGA WITH MARINA:

60+ minutes in this session will help strengthen your core and enhance flexibility.



SENIOR - DIAL A RIDE

DIAL-A-RIDE SHOPPING SCHEDULE

Enrollment in Dial-A-Ride is needed to participate in the shopping trips listed below. Reservations will be taken on a first come first serve basis. Simply call the reservation line at 860-285-1846 two business days in advance to sign-up.

Monday: Price Chopper - 10:30 AM to 11:30 AM

Tuesday: Mall Trips (see schedule below)

Wednesday: Walmart - The driver will bring you to the stores for shopping from 10:30 AM to 12:30 PM. (Bus does not stay at the store)

Thursday: Target or Stop & Shop (hours are 10:30 AM to 12:30 PM) (Bus does not stay at the store)

Friday: Windsor Shopping Center & Price Rite (hours are 10:30 AM to 12:30 PM)

Tuesdays each month: Enfield Mall (1st Tuesday), Buckland Mall (2nd Tuesday) and West Farms Mall (3rd Tuesday). We will call to confirm the morning of the trip, and will notify you if the trip is canceled.

MEDICAL TRANSPORTATION

Transportation for out-of-town medical appointments begin after 9:00 AM and end before 2:30 PM. Wheelchair transportation is available.

For complete Dial-A-Ride information, please visit our website, call 860-285-1992, or come visit us to receive a fully detailed brochure.

WINDSOR SENIOR CENTER



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
8AM-2PM Senior Fitness Center Open	8AM-8PM Senior Fitness Center Open	8AM-8PM Senior Fitness Center Open	8AM-8PM Senior Fitness Center Open	8AM-8PM Senior Fitness Center Open	8AM-8PM Senior Fitness Center Open	8AM-2PM Senior Fitness Center Open
All Day L.P. Wilson 1/3 mile walking trail Open	9AM-9:45AM Tai Chi	9AM-Noon Pickleball, Beginner/Intermediate Players	9AM-Noon Pickleball, Advanced Players	9AM-Noon Pickleball, Beginner/Intermediate Players	9AM-9:45AM Tai Chi	All Day L.P. Wilson 1/3 mile walking trail open
	9AM-Noon Pickleball, Advanced Players	9:30AM-10:30AM Meditation & Mindful Yoga	9AM-10AM SilverSneakers BOOM MUSCLE	10:45AM Walking Club	9AM-Noon Pickleball, All Play	
	9AM-10AM SilverSneakers BOOM MUSCLE	10AM Trail Riders Biking Club	10AM-11AM Yoga	10:30AM-11:30AM SilverSneakers Yoga	9AM-10AM SilverSneakers BOOM MUSCLE	
	10:30AM-11:30AM SilverSneakers Classic	10:30AM-11:30AM SilverSneakers Yoga	10:30AM-11:30AM SilverSneakers Classic	All Day L.P. Wilson 1/3 mile walking trail open	10AM-11AM Yoga	
	All Day L.P. Wilson 1/3 mile walking trail open	10:45AM Walking Club	All Day L.P. Wilson 1/3 mile walking trail open		10AM Happy Hikers Club	
		All Day L.P. Wilson 1/3 mile walking trail open			12:30PM-2PM Line Dancing	
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SENIOR RECURRING PROGRAMS

IT'S SO GOOD, IT HAPPENS OFTEN!

The Windsor Senior Center hosts an array of recurring programs that are always accepting new participants, and many of them are free. Come pick up a new hobby, rejoice in new friendships, and simply have fun.

Call the Senior Center at 860-285-1992 with questions on any of these activities. If you are interested in forming a club or group for residents age 55 or over, please contact us. We're happy to accommodate new clubs and ideas.

BINGO (DAYTIME):

Every Monday and Friday, 12:45 PM to 2:45 PM, Senior Center Café, \$1/card.

BINGO (EVENING):

Raffles and concessions accompany this evening offering.

Third Wednesday of Every month, 4:30 PM to 6:15 PM, Senior Center Café, \$1/card.

BOWLING WITH THE WINDSOR SPORTSTERS':

Non-competitive, co-ed league which you can join anytime.

Every Monday, 10:00 AM to noon, Spare Time, 129 Ella Grasso Turnpike, Windsor Locks.

BRIDGE CLUB:

Friendly games

Every Wednesday, 1:00 PM, Senior Lounge, Free.

COFFEE CONNECTION:

Connect with other seniors over a hot cup of coffee or tea.

Every Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday, 9:00 AM to 11:00 AM, Senior Center Café, Free.

CORNHOLE LEAGUE:

Toss the bags around with friends, both old and new.

Every Tuesday and Thursday, 1:00 PM to 2:00 PM, Gymnasium, Free.

CRAFTY FINGERS:

Start, finish or make progress on your projects.

Every Friday, 10:00 AM to 11:30 AM, Free.

CRIBBAGE:

Easy to learn and fun to play centuries-old card game.

Every Wednesday, 9:00 AM to 10:00 AM, Senior Center Café, Free.

CHESS CLUB:

Drop-in to enjoy a game with friends
First and third Thursday at 10:00 AM to 11:30 AM, Senior Lounge, Free.

EARLY BIRD SUPPER:

A popular monthly offering, usually on the last Tuesday. Menu, price, and activities vary per month. Details may be found in our monthly newsletter.

EXPRESSIVE ARTS:

Sometimes we dance and sing, other times we paint and create, or we play games and just enjoy each other.

Every Thursday, 1:00 PM to 2:30 PM, Senior Center, Free.

FOOT CLINIC WITH "DANCING FEET":

Third and fourth Thursday of every month, 8:30 AM to 2:00 PM, Ballet Room, \$40 for basic services.

MAHJONGG:

Every Monday, 1:00 PM to 3:30 PM, Senior Center Lounge, Free.

MEDITATION & MINDFUL MOVEMENT:

With Coach Michael, enjoy all the benefits or mindfulness & meditation, but now with light yoga movements.

Every Tuesday, 9:30 AM to 10:30 AM, Ballet Room

MONTHLY BIRTHDAYS:

Cake donated by Geissler's and birthday surprises provided by different sponsors each month. Call 860-285-1992 during the month of your birthday to register.

Last Wednesday of every month, Senior Center Café, 11:45 AM to 12:30 PM, Free.

MOVIE OF THE MONTH:

Third Thursday of every month, 1:00 PM to 3:00 PM, Senior Center Lounge, Free.

RISE N' SHINE BREAKFASTS:

Every other month we partner with our generous sponsors to deliver the famous Rise n' Shine. Enjoy coffee, a hot breakfast, and time with friends at the Senior Center. Sign up is required. Space fills fast.

Jun 19 | 9:00am-10:00am | Thu | Free thanks to Bloomfield Center for Nursing and Rehab

Aug 21 | 9:00am-10:00am | Thu | Free thanks to Touchpoints of Bloomfield

SCRIBE WRITERS WORKSHOP:

Fun and sometimes challenging creative-writing workshop.

Second and fourth Monday of every month, 10:00 AM to 11:00 AM, Senior Center, Free.

SETBACK CARD GAME:

Every Tuesday and Thursday, 1:00 PM to 2:45 PM, Senior Center Café, Free.

WII BOWLING:

Bowl using the Nintendo® Wii™.

Every Tuesday of the month, 1:00 PM to 2:00 PM, Senior Center Lounge, Free.

VETERAN'S COFFEE:

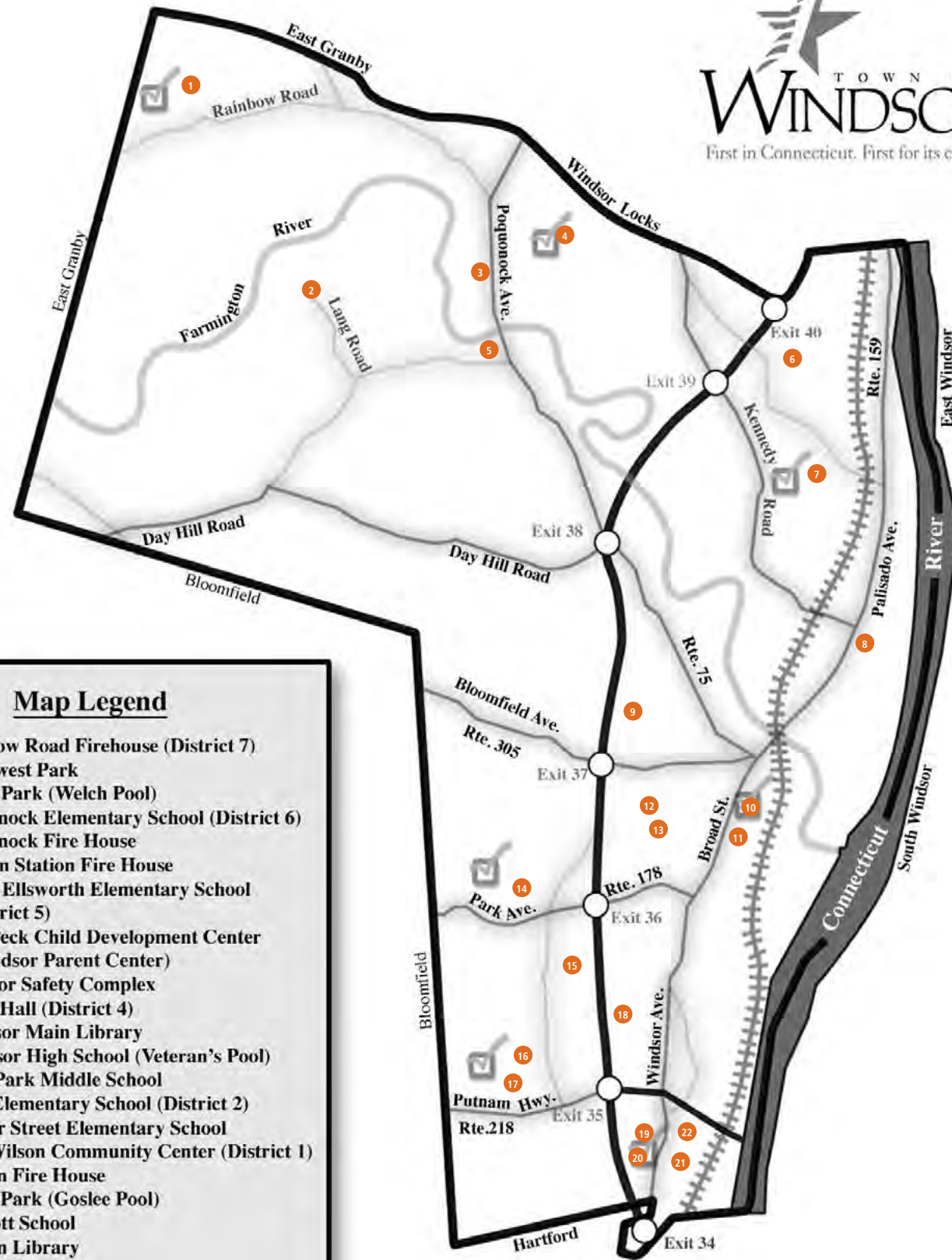
Led by the Greater Windsor Veteran's Council, enjoy coffee with other area veterans and share, as well as learn information about veterans' programs and benefits.

Last Thursday of every month from 8:30 AM to 10:00 AM. Free.

VETERAN'S OUTREACH

Led by the Greater Windsor Veteran's Council, this organized group is always looking for new members.

Held every second Wednesday at the VFW in Windsor at 6:30 PM. Free.



Map Legend

1. Rainbow Road Firehouse (District 7)
2. Northwest Park
3. Welch Park (Welch Pool)
4. Poquonock Elementary School (District 6)
5. Poquonock Fire House
6. Hayden Station Fire House
7. Oliver Ellsworth Elementary School (District 5)
8. Milo Peck Child Development Center (Windsor Parent Center)
9. Windsor Safety Complex
10. Town Hall (District 4)
11. Windsor Main Library
12. Windsor High School (Veteran's Pool)
13. Sage Park Middle School
14. JFK Elementary School (District 2)
15. Clover Street Elementary School
16. L.P. Wilson Community Center (District 1)
17. Wilson Fire House
18. Stroh Park (Goslee Pool)
19. Wolcott School
20. Wilson Library
21. Sharshon Park
22. 330 Windsor Avenue (District 3)

= Polling Location

Visit townofwindsorct.com/registrar-of-voters/ and click "Voter Locations" to find your correct voting district and polling location, or call 860-285-1955 or 860-285-1957 for information.

